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Soviet Army Chief Invited

London, To-day.
THE Soviet Defence Commissar, Marshal Voroshiloff, has been invited to attend the British Army manoeuvres in Yorkshire in September, says the "Evening Standard."

The Secretary for War, Mr. Hore-Belisha, has already sent the invitation to Moscow, adds the paper.

Mr. Hore-Belisha, continues the report, will probably visit Moscow should the European situation permit him to leave Britain, and will attend the Soviet army manoeuvres, also in September.

Military conferences between the General Staffs of Britain, France and the Soviet, which are expected to follow conclusion of the Triple Alliance, will probably begin during June. — Trans-Ocean.

COLONY'S RECORD CREDIT BALANCE

The remarkable buoyancy of Hong Kong revenue is such that, in the first four months of 1939, Government receipts exceeded the total for the same period of last year by nearly \$2,500,000.

April's figures alone were \$8,530,650, some \$200,000 better than in 1938 in spite of a fall of \$180,000 in duties, and of \$100,000 in railway receipts. Increases are shown under the heading of licences and internal revenue (\$100,000) Miscellaneous Receipts (\$280,000) and land sales (\$460,000).

The Colony's excess of assets over liabilities is now \$10,258,310, not including substantial stores.

Revenue since the beginning of the year totals \$14,649,618 (expenditure \$11,958,542) which, assum-

New Note Struck In Goebbels' Journal

Germany is prepared to support the Japanese demands for extension of Japanese sovereignty over the International Settlements!

At least this seems to be the conclusion to be drawn from an article appearing yesterday in the central organ of the Nazi Party, the "Voelkischer Beobachter," and cabled from Berlin by Trans-Ocean.

EARLY TRIPLE ALLIANCE EXPECTED

Paris, To-day.

French Foreign Office circles say the hope is justified that an agreement will speedily be reached by Britain, France and Russia. Much satisfaction has been caused here by reports from London that General Staff talks between the Soviet and Britain and France will start at an early date. — Trans-Ocean.

FRANCE AND TURKEY AGREE

PARIS, TO-DAY.

AN AGREEMENT IN PRINCIPLE HAS BEEN REACHED BETWEEN FRANCE AND TURKEY OVER THE SANJAK OF ALEXANDRETTA, SAYS "LE JOURNAL."

There only remain a few minor points to be cleared up, says the paper.

Col. Collet, French representative in the Sanjak, has left for Angora to negotiate with the Turkish Government regarding incorporation of the district into Turkey. — Trans-Ocean.

ing the high level to be maintained, will mean that \$40,000,000 will be exceeded for the first time in the Colony's history.

Under the head of charitable services, \$505,324 has already been spent this year, against \$189,910 last year, and against an estimate for the whole year of \$458,264.

AMERICAN AMBASSADOR'S ASSURANCE

Shanghai, To-day.

In the course of a discussion with foreign residents yesterday, the American Ambassador to China, Mr. Nelson T. Johnson, indicated that the Powers will not accept the Japanese demands for reorganising the Shanghai Municipal Council and modification of the Land Regulations.

The United States official hint that America will give every support in dealing with the Shanghai situation. — Our Own Correspondent.

BOMBER SHOT DOWN

Yuanku, Shansi, To-day.

A heavy Japanese bomber shot down at Changtsun, about three miles east of Yicheng in south Shansi, was totally wrecked. — Central News.

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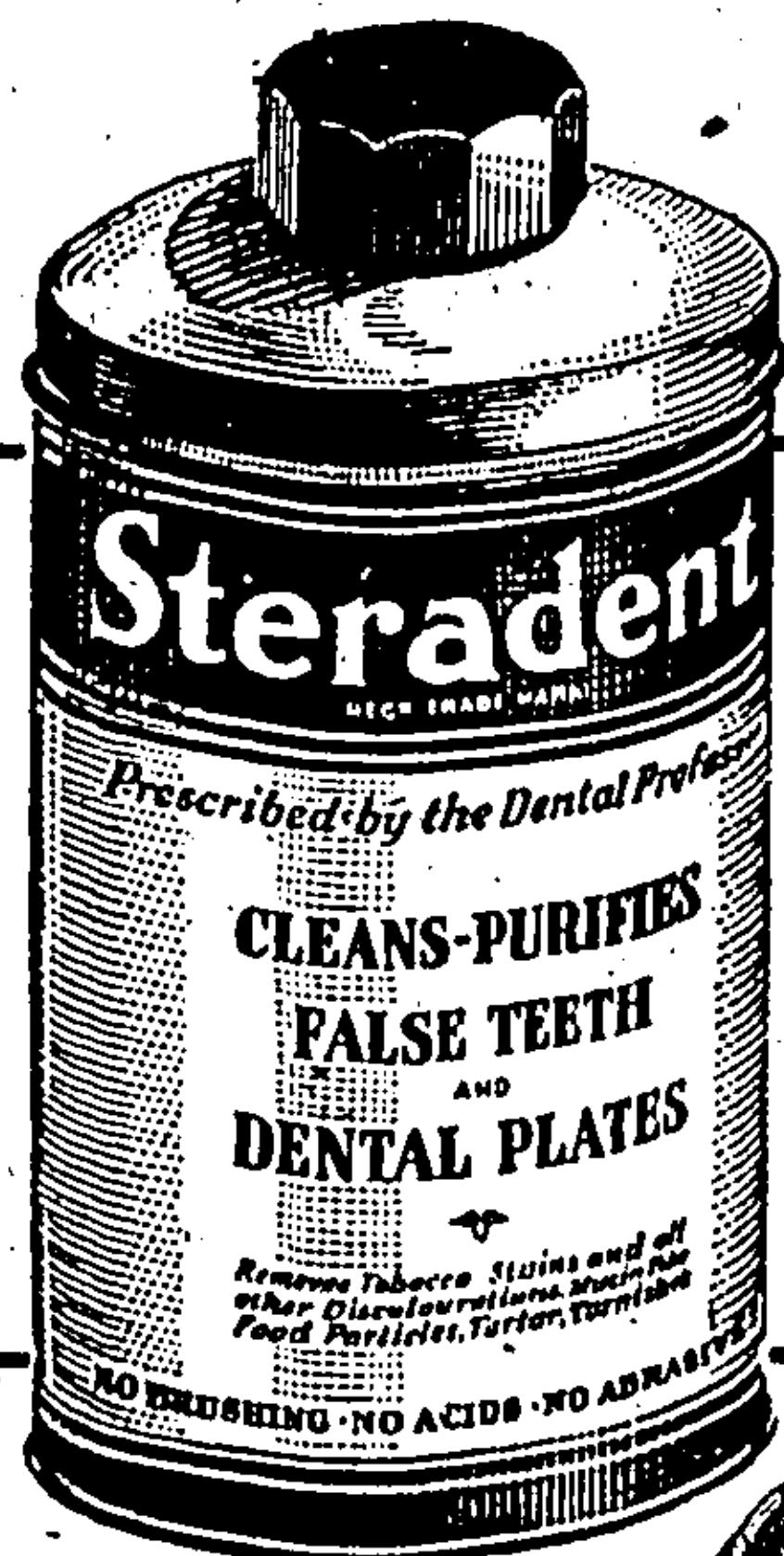


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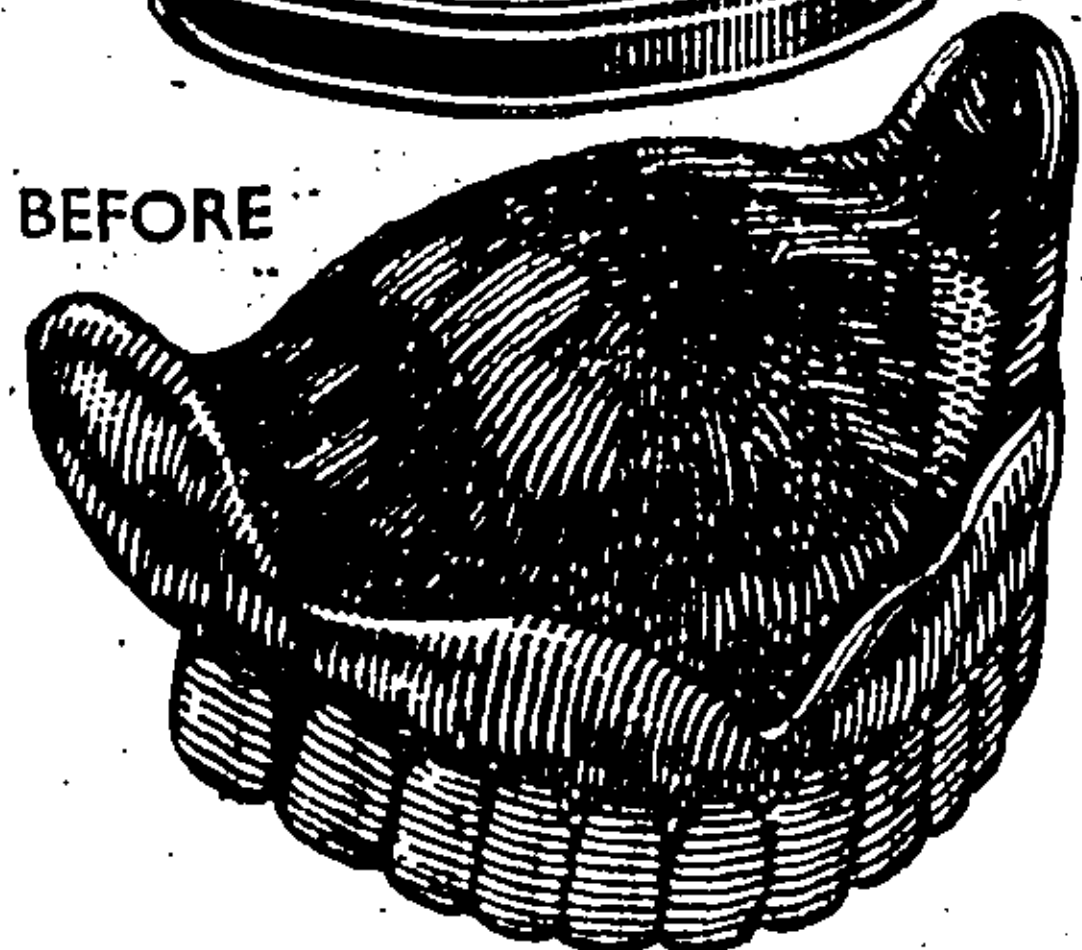
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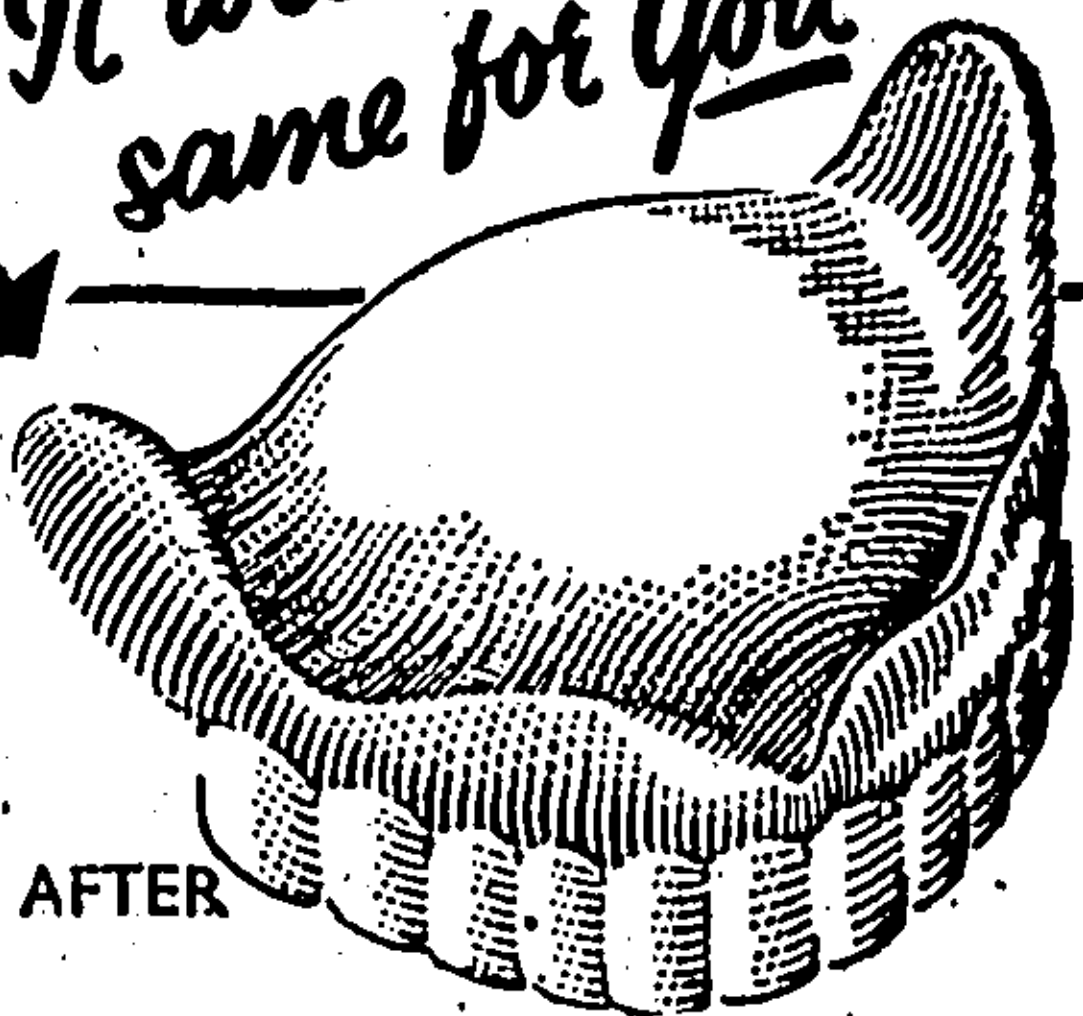


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By MARY BLAKE

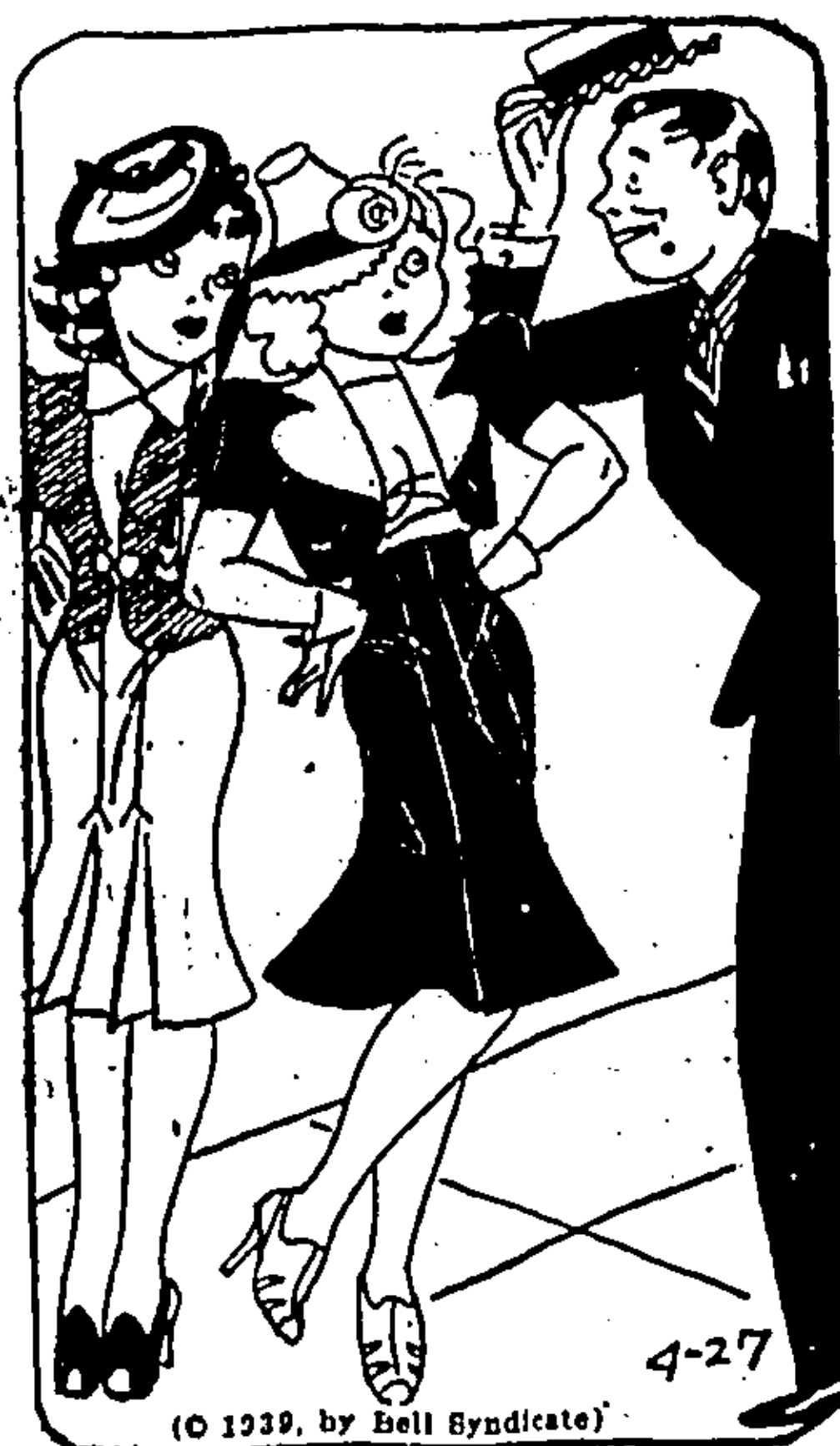
You may find this a day filled with many strange coincidents, some of which are apt to be amusing or very pleasing. You are likely to find one of your wishes fulfilled in an unexpected manner. This day should be profitable in regard to wisdom or money. Trace rumours to their source before accepting them as true. Many a careless tongue will wag too freely for safety's sake, so it will be good judgment to talk discreetly. Makeshift methods are likely to impede progressive measures. This is perhaps a poor day to start anything that you are not sure you will be able to finish, for imcompleted work seems bound to bring about a good deal of unfriendly criticism. Be careful you do not put yourself in the position of being compelled to decline doing a favour. Married and engaged couples, and those whose matrimonial prospects are growing brighter must avoid appearing to be domineering this day, if they wish to avoid arousing any embarrassing display of temper.

If a woman and May 27 is your birthday, flattery is a tonic you apparently enjoy very much. You may be too reluctant to accept favours, with the result that your friends and admirers might grow tired trying to do things for you. This day's experiences should prevent your making mistakes tomorrow. You, in all likelihood, find domestic routine tiresome and require some outside interest necessary to keep you contented. You are probably of a very artistic temperament, and may make use of it in a profitable way. Teaching, singing, lecturing, demonstrating, selling, writing or acting or a musical career seem to be among the

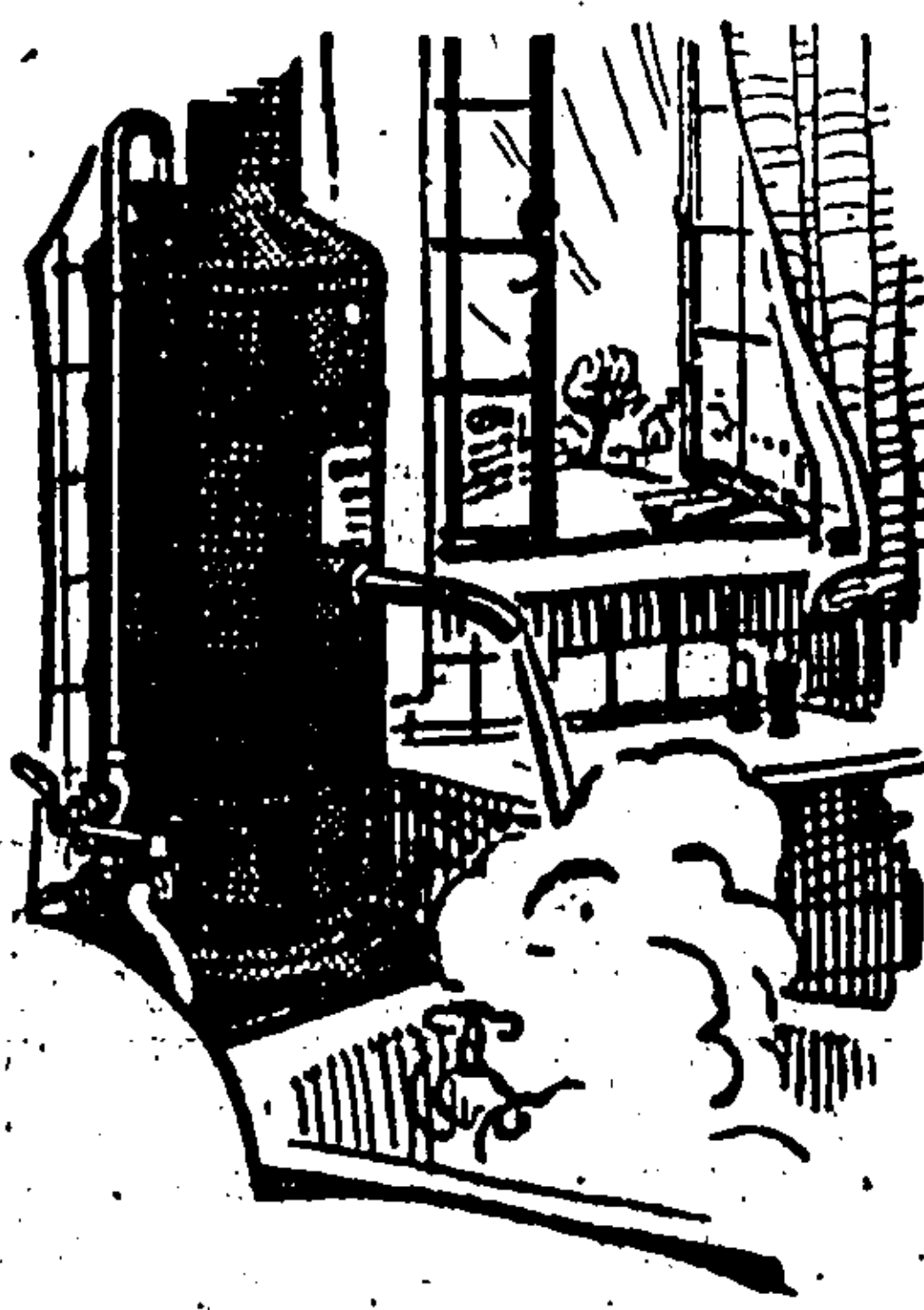
activities in which you can engage successfully. Through marriage your fondest hopes and ambitions probably will be realized.

The child born on May 27, is apt to be talented in many ways. Versatility will apparently be its outstanding characteristic. Every indication gives promise of enviable achievements and flattering recognition of an outstanding personality.

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EU TONG-SEN'S SONS TO MARRY

A double wedding of wide social interest will take place next Tuesday when Mr. Eu Keng-loon will be married to Miss Nancy Kan and Mr. W. K. Y. Eu to Miss May Shum, first at the Registry, Supreme Court, and later in the customary manner of their countrymen at Euston, the palatial residence of the grooms' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eu Tong-sen.

The latter setting will also provide a magnificent background for the reception.

Some 800 invitations have been issued, and His Excellency the Governor will be represented at the reception by his principal Aide-de-Camp.

All arrangements for the wedding are in the capable hands of Madame Sophie Costides of Eunice, and this clever designer is also responsible for the two bridal gowns, including those of the bridesmaids, flowergirls and page boys, of which there are to be pairs.

The bridesmaids are the Misses Josephine Eu and Beatrice Kam, while the flowergirls will be the Misses Rosetta Wu and Goh Sen Yoh.

Male principals in the bridal party include as best men, Messrs. Shum Kwai Hong and Kan Yuet Tai, and as Page Boys Masters Fung and Poy.

Yesterday, the privilege of an advance inspection of the two bridal gowns and those of the bride's attendants, was given to the "China Mail's" fashion reporter, and at a glance it could readily be seen that the bridal procession will provide the guests with an exhilarat-

used to wear to hide her kid curls from grand-dad! No indeed. The modern night cap adopts its style from a flying helmet, made of featherweight netting with a flimsy stretchable chin strap which you never feel during your peaceful slumbers. It is close-fitting and nicely tailored and as it comes in twelve delectable shades you actually may be a sleeping beauty while you wear it!

The trick is to comb your hair and push every wave and ringlet into place before slipping into the little net helmet. The morning will find your hair-do smooth as a whistle!

Some women like to wear this cap while taking a hot tub (to protect their curls from steam) or when they change dresses so their coiffures will not be mussed. A dainty aid if there ever was one.

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Many a time you have been exasperated because you ruined your pretty make-up and mussed your hair when you slipped into your gown. At the last minute you had to make repairs!

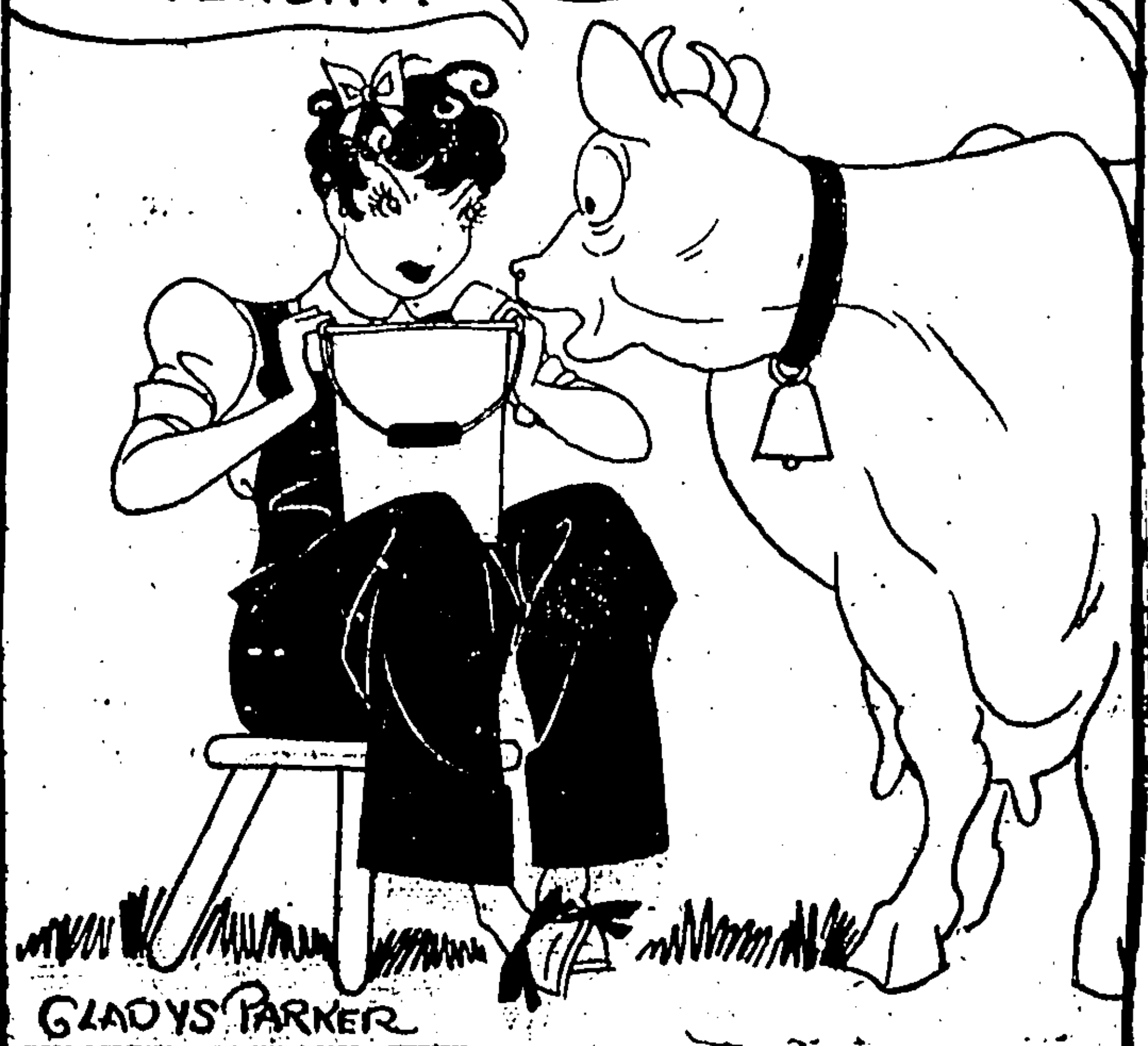
Meticulous beauties solve this problem by leaving their make-up and hair combing to last, and use an attractive washable cape to protect their gowns from powder or dandruff. No fear then of smearing your lipstick or getting a fascinating curl caught by a hook or a button!

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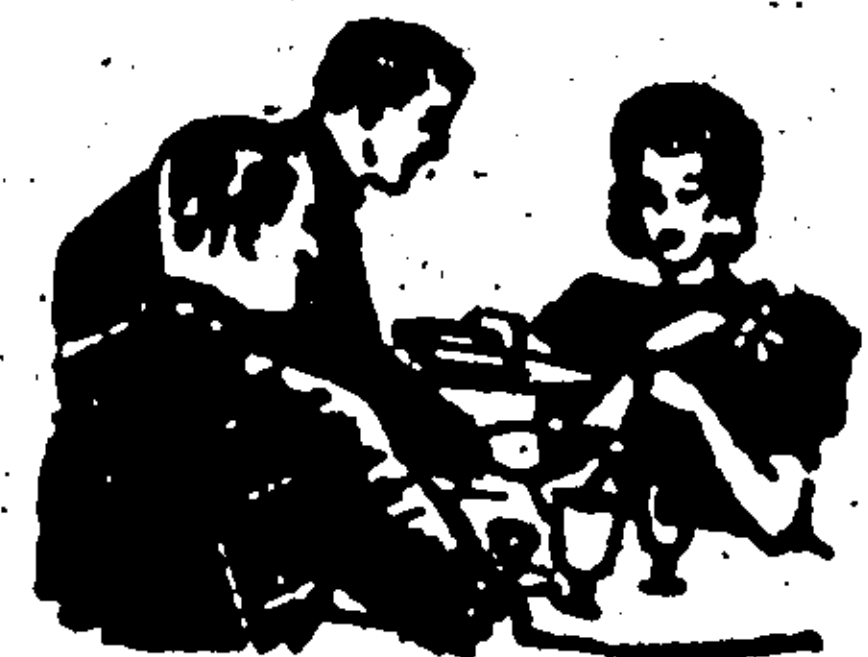
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TRINITY COLLEGE OF MUSIC EXAM.

The following are the results as supplied by the local secretary, Mr. J. E. Anderson, of the local Practical Examinations of the Trinity College of Music held in Hong Kong from May 13 to 23. Where not otherwise stated the examinations were for Pianoforte. The examiner was Dr. Alfred Mistowski, F.T.C.L.

Examination for Teacher's Diploma (Licentiate L.T.C.L.) (Practical Work):
Mae Bunn, Rosabel Hsu.
Associate (A.T.C.L.) (Practical Work): Dorothy J. Henderson, Maria T. Pitter, Lily Yeung.

Higher Local Division

Honours: Cheung Lai Wan, Helene Pau Yu Cheng, Doreen Luey, Dorothy C. Y. Yang.

Pass with Merit: Kathleen Dedeoglou, Fung Mui Chan, Beatrice Ip, Phyllis K. Ling, Helen Lou, Lily Tsang.

Pass: Fok Sut Haan, Phyllis K. Ling (Singing), Mollie Luk, Mable Tsang, Wong Fung Seen.

Advanced Senior Division

Honours: Anna Koo.
Pass with Merit: Hsi Maying, Wong Yan Tai.

Pass: Katherine Yipp.

Senior Division

Honours: Helene B. Chen, Helene B. Chen (Singing), Alice Yui (Musicianship).

Pass with Merit: Chan Yun Yee, Marion Cheng, Melba M. de Sousa, Emily Yui (Musicianship), Margaret Anne Wong, Virginia Yvanovich (Musicianship).

Pass: David Choa, Ines Soares.

Intermediate Division

Honours: Maggie Cheng, Katie Chow, Joyce Leong, Lui Sook Chun, Lui Sook Ching, Sister Rachele Plebani, Hazel Theresa Schlater, Amy Tsang, Lily Wong, Wong Kook Ying.

Pass with Merit: Martha Lo, Marina Mackechnie, Norma Tsang, Mona Wong.

Pass: Joy B. J. Carey, Nina Chan, Fung Lin Yee, Jean Lee.

Junior Division

Honours: Mui Fook Kee, Ng Yuen Ching, Mimi Leung, Luke Tze Leung, Rosie Ting, Wattana Vangtal, Adell Woodward.

Pass with Merit: Jamalee el Arculli, Yvonne Blackmore, Fung Sik Mang, Hui Kit Ying, Lau Wai Ling, Gloria M. C. Litton, Ma Kin Ling, Ng Tak Ching, Sister Ada Penzo, Sun Pao Tse, Wong Shuk Yiu.

Pass: Carie Alves, Margarida de Figueiredo, Fung Hou Chee, Fung Shouk Kwan, Daphne Griffith, Hilda A. Laurel, Gloria June Moss, Tam Wai Chit, Wu Lai Ying, Margaret Xavier (Violin).

Advanced Preparatory Division

Honours: Hui Yin Kui, Hui Yin Kan, Hui Woon Chuen, Hui Woon Chun, Sachiko Kano, Lo Pui Yew.

Pass with Merit: Mary Horwood (Musicianship), Margaret Hume, Beatrice Kan, Lau Shiu Yan, Elizabeth Liou, Wong Man Long.

Pass: Rafaela Co (Musicianship), Nydia Laurel, A. Olivia Mak, Eleanor A. Rogers, Viola M. Rogers, Hellen Chua Tiampo (Musicianship), Betty Siu, May Wu.

Preparatory Division

Honours: Luba Besedish, Amelia Berlandier, Cheung Po Kut, Elizabeth J. Gittins, Lo Pui Kin, Fung Fung Chan, Alison King, Sumiko Numato, Leung Pui Kan, Vera Litter, Masako Kano, Manuela Nunes, Sin Ka Chuen, Tang Kai-yuen, Elizabeth Florence Smith, Ricka Wolf, Claire Van Wylick.

Pass with Merit: Ruby Agnes Ching, Crispina N. V. Carlos, Fung Mui Wo, Cynthia Lo, Anne C. Mackenzie, Claire Routley, Iris Sun, Jenny Tse, James Stewart Webster, Ronald J. Wong.

Pass: Chan Yuk Shu, Lydia de Figueiredo, Betty Lee, A. Olivia Mak (singing), Margaret Venables.

"First Steps" Division

Honours: Angela M. Court, Gloria Eng, Wendy M. Fayers, Margaret J. King, Lo Pui Yin, Phoon Suet Ching, Renee Yuen, Yvonne M. Shaw.

Pass: Agatha Chan (Violin), Doris Horton.

"Initial" Division

Honours: David Asche, Chen Yu Hui, Johnny Choa, Esperanza Couto, Donald Chan, Laureen Clemon, Lorna Denton, Josephine Hillyer, Theresa de Rosa, Marie Sandberg, George Ian Shaw, Sheila Le Tisler, Wong Man Ying.

Pass with Merit: Patricia Patterson.

PRAGUE BOMB EXPLOSION

Prague, To-day.

A bomb explosion occurred in Prague yesterday afternoon destroying a synagogue in a Jewish owned house in the Pariser Gasse. Two women were injured.

In view of the anti-Jewish demonstrations organised by the Czech Fascists in the last few days, it is assumed that the bomb outrage is the work of members of this radical organisation.—Trans-Ocean.

HOME CRICKET

HIGH SCORING IN FRIENDLIES

London, To-day.

There were no unexpected results in County cricket matches which finished yesterday. There was, however, some very high scoring in two of the friendlies.

West Indies showed their batting capabilities in no uncertain manner in beating Oxford University by an innings and 5 runs. They made 480 for 7 in their one innings to which no fewer than three batsmen contributed centuries.

At Cambridge, Yorkshire only lost three wickets in the course of two innings. In the first innings they made 350 for 2 dec., Norman Yardley making 140 not out and Len Hutton 102. In their second knock, they compiled 104 for 1.

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

At Leicester, Lancashire beat Leicestershire on the first innings. Lancashire—464 for 8 dec. (Paynter 159) and 243 for 6 dec. (Iddon 100). Leicestershire—361 and 294 for 8.

At Lord's, Middlesex beat Hampshire by 9 wickets. Middlesex—402 (Compton 143) and 8 for 1. Hampshire—183 and 224.

At Hove, Essex beat Sussex by an innings and 13 runs. Sussex—149 and 244. Essex—406 (Nicholls 146).

OTHER MATCHES

At Oxford, West Indies beat Oxford University by an innings and 5 runs. West Indies—480 for 7 dec. (Bayley 194, Cameron 106, Williams 126 not out). Oxford—232 and 243.

At Cambridge, Yorkshire beat Cambridge University by 9 wickets. Cambridge—84 (Bowes 4 for 31) and 369 (Brodhurst 106; Robinson 5 for 80). Yorkshire—350 for 2 dec. (N. W. D. Yardley 140 not out, L. Hutton 102) and 104 for 1.

TO-DAY'S MATCHES

Lord's—Middlesex v. Sussex.
Chelmsford—Essex v. Worcestershire.
Southampton—Hampshire v. Kent.
Manchester—Lancashire v. Yorkshire.
Northampton—Northamptonshire v. Leicestershire.
Nottingham—Nottinghamshire v. Surrey.
Taunton—Somerset v. Gloucestershire.
Birmingham—Warwickshire v. Derbyshire.
Cardiff—Glamorgan v. West Indies.
Oxford—Oxford University v. Free Foresters.

The Spectre Of Increased Taxes

Sir,—Wage-earners in the Colony must have fairly gasped for breath when a news caption of an influential recommendation for an increase in the assessment rate to 25 per cent. stared them in the face upon leaving their offices yesterday evening. Reasoned judgment will incline to the inevitability of a reasonable increase. Any exorbitant rise, however, invites criticism and opposition.

It is fair to state at the outset that the Taxation Committee in their Report have put forward three major sources of increase for consideration, and that they recommend that big additional revenue from assessed taxes "should be regarded as a last resource" for revenue raising. The higher rate is estimated to yield an extra \$3,000,000 a year.

To take the last expedient first, and as one of widest import to the community in general, it may serve some useful purpose if a widespread, though not necessarily publicly audible, discussion be entered into to concentrate on the proposal to augment the revenue by nearly 50 per cent. on the one single item of rents assessment.

At the bottom of page 13 of the Taxation Committee's Report the assertion appears that "the present rate is lower than that obtaining in Shanghai or in Singapore." The present rate in Hong Kong is 17 per cent. on rents. Unfortunately there is no ready means of verifying the Singapore assessment rate.

So far as Shanghai is concerned, the general municipal rate was 14 per cent.; it is one of 16 per cent. from 1st April, 1939, to 30th September, 1939, and the S. M. Council Budget for the current year provides for 18 per cent. from 1st October, 1939, until the next annual meeting of rate-payers. These rates apply to assessed rentals of buildings within the Settlement. In differentiation there is a "special" rate of 14 per cent. during the earlier period, to be increased to 16 per cent. on 1st October next, on buildings beyond Settlement limits enjoying Settlement amenities, including utility services.

What is the authority for the disputed statement that the present rate in Hong Kong is lower than that obtaining in Shanghai, it will be interesting to learn. Before the Committee's vital recommendation to increase the assessment rate is implemented, no room should be left for assailable criticism. It is matter of common knowledge that Shanghai's rates were put up as a result of the serious loss in revenue through occupation by a contending force of properties which formerly contributed to her revenue and also to a large number of vacancies. In these respects the reverse has happened in Hong Kong; the Colony has been more fortunate. Its income has been substantially increased, and not reduced, by the deplorable circumstances of the past two years.

It is bad enough that, as a result of the demand for housing accommodation, there has been an upward tendency in rents since August, 1937. In spite of special legislation, since very fortunately extended, to Government's credit, landlords of a certain class are unsparing in their efforts to increase rents further. As a direct result of the increased rentals the revenue of the Colony has benefited very largely at the expense of tenants.

To group all houses in a single rateable class, subject to the enormous increase recommended, is a fallacy which should be capable of correction. It might be some comfort if, before the actual carrying out of this particular recommendation, some satisfactory classification be made between residential and business premises and, as a class by themselves, the industrial establishments also. There are good grounds for this contention when business premises are exempt from curbing legislative influences. A grasping class of landlords have not been slow to take full advantage of their freedom and in known cases have been responsible for three successive increases of rent during the past eighteen months. It may even be expedient to classify house properties according to locality, as, for instance, those enjoying all the urban amenities in exclusive suburban areas costing for their maintenance a higher expenditure to taxpayers. The equity of the proposal will be seen in the relief from the incidence of heavier taxation which will be afforded to a class sufficiently burdened with expenditure created by exceptional circumstances.

Yours faithfully,

J. P. BRAGA.

[Mr. Braga appears to have misread the report. The Committee was, in general, opposed to any increase in the Assessment Tax.—Ed.]

LONE OCCUPANT OF VATICAN JAIL RELEASED

Vatican City May 20.

Mario Politi, lone occupant of the Vatican City jail, has been released here following a pardon.

A former employee in the Pontifical finance department, Politi was sentenced to three years imprisonment for theft.—Havas.

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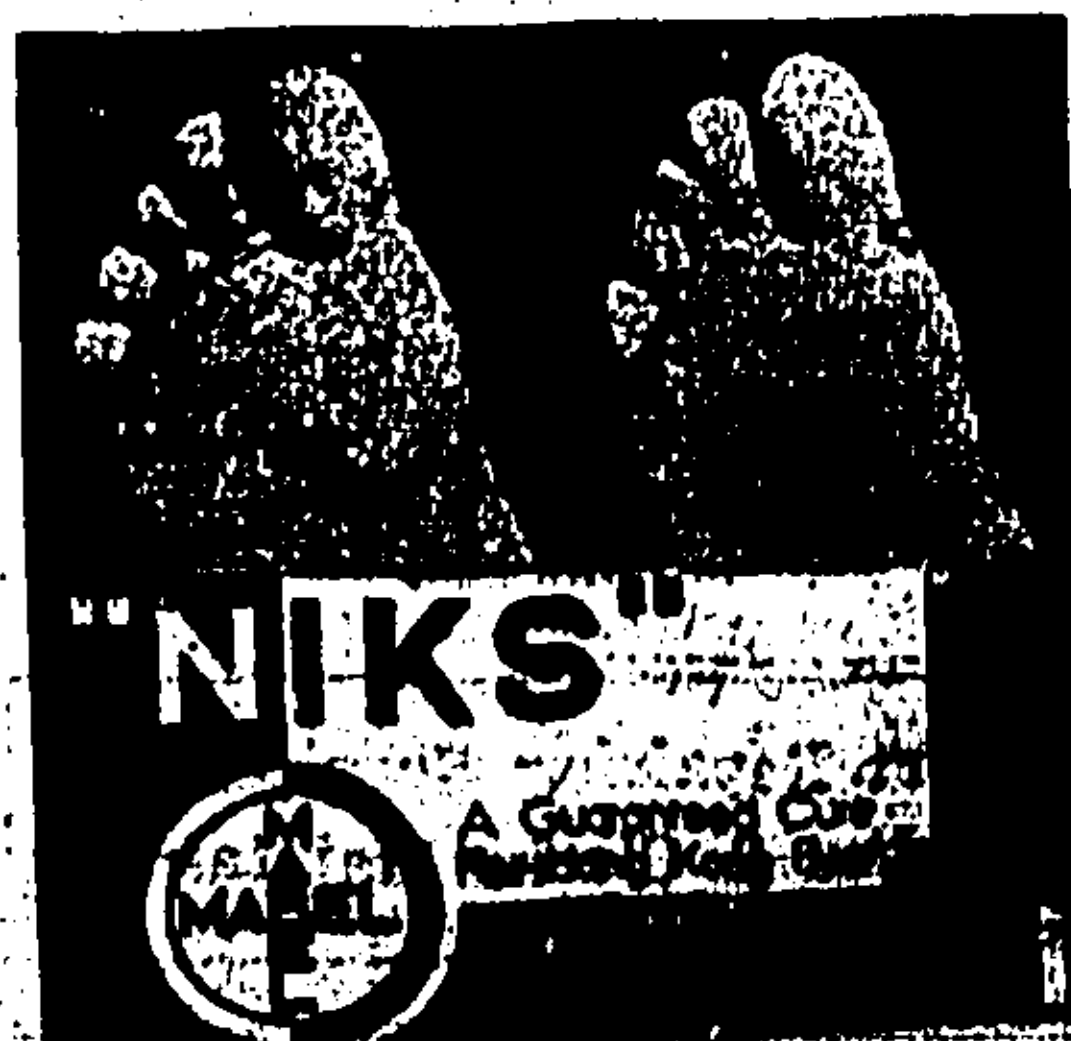
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The "China Mail" has been made the target for a number of peculiar "documents," bearing the imprint of the Globe Printing Press, Canton, and published by "Tao Jitsugyo Bunka Kyokai, Peking Hotel, West Bund, Canton." They range from a booklet by a Mr. Millington, of West Australia, who tells us—no doubt, for a slight remuneration—that "Japan is Right" to a booklet by a Mr. H. Morita, entitled "Predestination of the Far East."

To a layman or idle bystander, the latter is by far the most entertaining reading of the whole bunch. True, most of its reasoning is as involved as its title; but where Mr. Morita scores is in his knowledge of English.

A word like "adumbrates" or "predestination" does not faze Mr. Morita a bit. On the other hand, he comes across with "The Far East is in the throes of evolution and first leaf of a new history is about to be opened." And yet again, discussing British and American credits to China, he says:

"Thereupon, it is presumable that their real purpose of assisting Chiang's regime is a political gesture against Japan who made recently her China policy bluntly known to the world, in an attempt of blustering Japan and nip her unbiased, impartial and lofty aim in the buds."

CONDITION IS IN A CHAOS

Mr. Morita's solution of the whole problem of war and peace is, to use his own words, "the best way that is comprehensible under the present condition . . . (is) the localization of international peace system according to geographical arrangement." As he points out, "as to the southwestern Europe, the

condition is still in a chaos, but it adumbrates for one of two of such bloc will sooner or later be formulated."

With reference to the present hostilities, Mr. Morita would have us "remember, under swear by heaven and earth, Japan always acted in her self-defence."

Mr. Morita is angry about the credits, the Nine-Power Treaty, the Monroe Doctrine and the "self-contented Ottawa Constitution," among other things. He calls upon the eastern countries to get together to make peace, this peace to include the stationing of Japanese troops at certain points in China.

He stresses that the war started with "terrorific acts" by the Chinese and that it is "an illucidation that Japan will come out groggy and tottering."

AN ILLUCIDATION

He concludes: "He who opposes the will of Heaven shall fall." Japan, of course, is obeying the will of Heaven; as he points out, she bravely stepped forward "to shoulder the heavenly duty, and to tackle the historical mission which she is so conscious of to perform." That thousands have been killed, bombed, tortured and raped in the performance of this "heavenly duty" is, of course, merely incidental.

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END OF FIRST LONG SECTION OF CANADIAN TOUR

Medicine Hat, To-day.

Travelling all night through the Canadian prairie lands, Their Majesties arrived here en route to Calgary at 6.10 last evening (British Standard Time) and were given a great welcome by ranchers and farmers who had come in from the surrounding country to greet them.

Two thousand Indians encamped in wigwams with their squaws were among the most enthusiastic of 200,000 people who welcomed the King and Queen at Calgary at 10 o'clock last night to the "wild and woolly west."

The visit marks the end of the first long section of the Royal trans-Canadian tour, and to-day Their Majesties spend their first day of complete rest at Banff National Park in the Rocky Mountains.

CARNIVAL CITY

The train left Medicine Hat for Calgary, the last of the "frontier cities," near the foot of the Rockies, at 5.31 p.m.

Throughout Thursday night cowboys and cowgirls paraded the brilliantly illuminated streets, turning Calgary into a carnival city.

A shop selling the "ten gallon" hats beloved of cowboys had a whole window devoted to tartan ties in honour of the Queen. The ties sold rapidly.

"STRAIGHT SHOOTER"

Advance opinion of Their Majesties appeared to be fairly represented by the remark of a tram conductor to a local reporter: "I have only seen the King in pictures. I think he is just one grand straight shooter."

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FOREIGN SHIPS ON YANGTSE

SHANGHAI, TO-DAY.

IT IS RELIABLY LEARNED HERE THAT FOREIGN MERCHANT VESSELS WILL NAVIGATE THE YANGTSE FOR THE FIRST TIME, SINCE THE JAPANESE INVASION, ON MONDAY.

The ships are two British vessels which will convey British naval reliefs to Hankow.

It is understood that the two boats will be escorted by a British gunboat. — Our Own Correspondent.

EXPLOSIONS AT KIANGWAN

Chungking, To-day.

Loud explosions were heard in Nantao, on Thursday night, when guerillas filtered into the area and threw bombs into Kiangnan Dockyard, says a Shanghai report.

Several huge fires were started. Brisk gunfire was heard from the direction of Lungwa, picturesque village famous for its ancient pagoda and monks situated about five miles from the International Settlement in Shanghai, the following morning. It lasted for about an hour, indicating fighting between guerillas and Japanese troops. — Central News.

MEDWAY GOING NORTH

H. M. Submarine Depot Ship Medway and her "brood"—the Fourth Submarine Flotilla—ars sailing from Hong Kong to-day, bound for the cooler waters of Weihaiwei.

H. M. Aircraft Carrier Eagle, 22,600 tons, arrived in the Colony on Friday. She will remain in port until Monday, when she sails for northern waters under the command of Captain C. Moody.

His Excellency the Governor has appointed Stanley Joseph Swetland, Esq., to be a Sub-Lieutenant in the Hong Kong Naval Volunteer Force.

QUICKLY COME AND GO

Berlin, To-day.

A German journalist, Kurt Teege, of the Reichsach news service in Warsaw, has been ordered to leave Poland, says the "Voelkischer Beobachter."

Neege had been in Warsaw for four weeks and was given a permit to reside there for a year, and has now been ordered to leave Poland within eight days.—Trans-Ocean.

POPE HOLDS AUDIENCE

Vatican City, To-day.

Pope Pius XII yesterday received in audience several high ecclesiastical dignitaries among them Cardinal Cremonesi, Monsignore Ottaviani and the Secretary for Expansion of Faith, Monsignore Constantini.

The Pope further appointed the Archbishop of Quebec, Monsignore Villeneuve to be his representative at the celebrations which will take place in Domremy in June in commemoration of Joan of Arc, who was born there. — Trans-Ocean.

It is notified that at the expiration of three months the names of the Stephen and Company, Limited, The China Merchants Industrial Administration, Limited, the China Development Company, Limited, and the Fukien Boarding House, Limited will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the register and the companies, will be dissolved.

WORLD-FAMOUS SURGEON, DR. MAYO, PASSES

CHICAGO, TO-DAY.

DR. CHARLES HORACE MAYO, ONE OF AMERICA'S MOST FAMOUS SURGEONS, DIED HERE YESTERDAY IN HIS 74TH YEAR.

Dr. Mayo, in conjunction with his surgeon brother, Dr. William James Mayo, donated \$1,500,000 in 1915 to establish the Mayo Foundation for Medical Education and Research at Rochester.

The brothers have been surgeons at the famous Mayo Clinic (St. Mary's Hospital) since 1889. — Reuter.

PRINCE PAUL'S BERLIN VISIT

Berlin, To-day.

It is announced that the visit of Prince and Princess Paul of Yugoslavia will begin on June 1 and will last a week.

The visitors will be lavishly entertained by Hitler, Dr. Goebbels, Herr von Ribbentrop and Field-Marshal Goering individually. — Reuter.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased under instructions from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to appoint Mr. Walter John Skinner to be Quantity Surveyor, Public Works Department, with effect from 1st December, 1938.

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THE DAILY SHORT STORY

SPOTTY

Rents were high at Lake MacKenzie and Bob and Kay Prescott, who had come there for the vacation and would have been disappointed had they not been able to remain, counted themselves lucky to find the cute garage apartment that was owned by the Wheelocks. The Wheelocks were about the same age as the Prescotts. They lived in a cottage on the lake front and had built a suite of rooms and bath on to their garage. They weren't too particular about renting.

"If we hadn't found someone like yourselves," Judy Wheelock explained, "we wouldn't have rented at all. I mean someone fairly young and with no children. And someone who likes dogs. I noticed that Spotty took a fancy to you the moment you came into the yard."

Spotty was an adorable black and white English setter. When the Prescotts had stopped their car he had come out with tail wagging and ears laid flat.

"What a perfectly lovely dog!" Kay had exclaimed impulsively, and Bob had stooped to scratch the silken ears. The day after the Prescotts moved into their new quarters, Spotty paid them a visit. They were having break-

grateful of Spotty to seem to prefer our company. Honey, if we're smart we won't be so welcoming to Spotty the next time he comes over."

So when next Spotty appeared outside the screen door neither Kay nor Bob seemed to notice him. He scratched and whined and at last Bob went over and shut the inside door. Spotty remained for awhile, then slunk away, looking hurt.

That day the Prescotts didn't go swimming because they could see Spotty waiting for them outside. The next day it was the same and the next. Kay began to lose patience.

"A fine thing!" she declared. "We have to sit in the house because our landlord's pup likes our company!"

"It was our fault in the first place," Bob pointed out. "We shouldn't have let Spotty become so friendly. If I had a dog whom I loved and wanted to love me I'd feel exactly as Mike does. I don't blame him a bit."

"Then we might as well cut our vacation short and go home. I simply can't continue to act indifferent to Spotty when he doesn't understand, and when it really isn't the way I feel at all."

"That's a swell idea! We'd better go

By Karl Grayson

fast and he came and stood outside the screen door. Kay got up and let him in and Bob held out a piece of toast with some egg on it.

After that Spotty was a frequent visitor. They found he could do a lot of tricks. He was well-mannered. He never climbed up on beds and he never begged for food while they were eating. Frequently he went swimming with them. Once he remained in the apartment all night, sleeping on the rug between the twin beds.

"It really is fortunate that we like dogs," Kay remarked one day. "My goodness, wouldn't it be too bad if someone rented this place who didn't like them?"

"I don't know," said Bob thoughtfully. "I've a funny feeling that Mike Wheelock may think Spotty is a little too friendly."

"Whatever do you mean? Has he said anything? Surely he can't condemn us for being nice to his dog."

"I don't imagine he does condemn us, but after all, Spotty is his dog. He'd probably like to have him stay home once in awhile."

Two days later Bob was on his way down to the lake for an early morning swim. As he passed the Wheelock's kitchen-window he stopped to remove a pebble from his slipper, and before he could straighten up he heard Mike Wheelock's voice coming through the open window.

"It burns me up the way those people make up to Spotty. Good gosh, you'd think he belonged to them. I'm getting sick of it."

"Oh, Mike, you can't blame them. After all, Spotty is friendly and they're merely being nice."

"Nice my foot! I raised Spotty from a pup, taught him everything he knows. Now he's become attached to the Prescotts, who are un-teaching him. I don't like it. It's a blow to a chap's vanity."

When Bob returned from his swim he told Kay what he'd heard.

"Why, the ideal! You'd think we were trying to steal their dog!"

Bob thoughtfully lighted a cigarette. "I don't blame Mike. He worships the dog. It isn't very flattering or very

home. After awhile Spotty will forget we were ever around and Mike will gain back his self-respect."

The Prescotts left at night, leaving a note on the apartment table explaining that Bob had suddenly been called back because of business. Both were curiously silent on the long drive home, and when they entered the house they were both beset by a sense of something lacking. They remained silent regarding their feelings. Both felt that it would pass in a day or two.

But it didn't. Three days, a week elapsed. And finally both had to admit that they missed Spotty. Strange how you could become so attached to an animal. They talked of buying a dog of their own, but they knew that no other dog would do.

"If we hadn't had to be so mean to him before we left it wouldn't be so bad," Kay said almost tearfully.

And just then there was a knock at the door. It was the expressman, carrying a crated box that gave off wild yelps and tail thumpings.

It was Spotty, shipped all the way from Lake MacKenzie. Bob read the letter that accompanied the box. The letter stated briefly that Mike and Judy would like to give Spotty to the Prescotts because he seemed so depressed since they left, and Mike wanted him to be happy.

Bob said slowly: "Mike loved that dog. He loved him more than we ever can."

Kay said nothing. This time she understood exactly what Bob meant.

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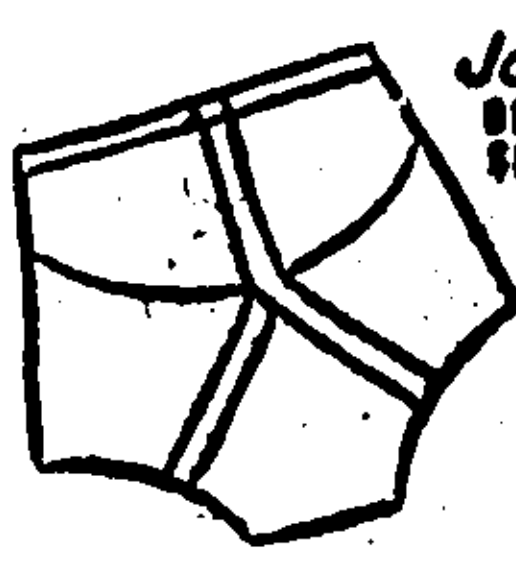
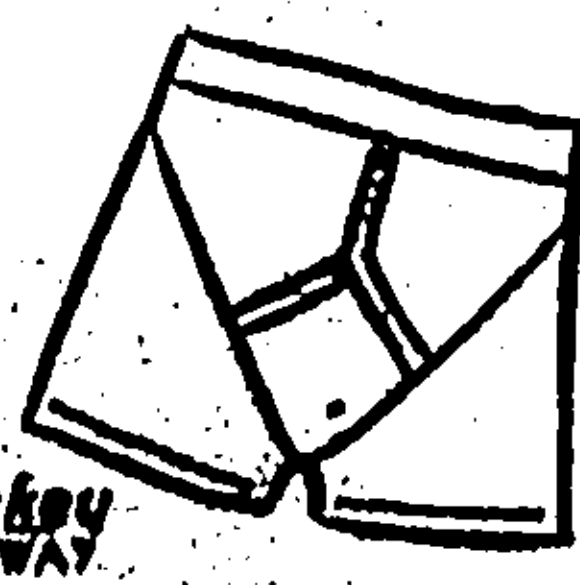
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Ottawa, To-day.

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The King's affable and democratic bearing has gone a long way towards achieving this success, but what has won the hearts of Canadians is the way in which Their Majesties repeatedly have altered their arrangements in order to give their enthusiastic subjects an opportunity to greet them.

Several departures in the larger cities have been delayed hours for this purpose, and even on the long journey across the prairies the King has left the train at wayside stations and mingled with the crowds instead of merely standing at the door of the Royal coach, as had been arranged.

Their Majesties action in appearing on the observation platform at the back of the train whenever it passes the smallest station is widely commented on as showing a truly Royal courtesy.

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The King's easy manner and avoidance of formalities were never so successful as during the reception to scores of journalists, American, Canadian and British, who are following the Royal tour.

SUCCESS IN U.S.

There is every ground for belief that Their Majesties' popular welcome will be almost as vociferous in the United States as in the Dominion.

On all his public appearances the King has been notably supported by the Queen, whose charming demeanour and obvious interest have made her a close second favourite to the King.—Reuter.

LONDON TO PAY FOR PARIS

Paris, To-day.

The Compagnie Generale Transatlantique states that the insurers of the liner Paris have decided to pay the company the total insurance on the liner, namely 96,000,000 francs.

It is understood the London market will bear almost the entire expense of this operation.—Reuter.

HORE-BELISHA PLANNING MOSCOW VISIT

London, To-day.

That the War Secretary, Mr. Hore-Belisha, will travel to Moscow in the near future is the opinion of Government circles, says the "News Chronicle."

The journey of the War Secretary, it is declared, has been made necessary by the forthcoming conclusion of the Anglo-Soviet pact and the provisions for military collaboration which would be contained in the pact.

FRENCH DELEGATION

The French Government, says a Paris newspaper, has decided to follow the British Government's example and will send a military delegation to Moscow for the purpose of conducting the final exchanges on military details of the planned agreement between France, Britain and the Soviet.—Trans-Ocean.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LESSON SERMON

Subject—Ancient and Modern Necromancy, alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced.

The subject of the Lesson Sermon in all Christian Science Churches to-morrow 28th May will be "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced."

The Golden Text will be:—"Mine hand shall be upon the prophets that see vanity, and that divine lies: and ye shall know that I am the Lord God." (Ezek. 13: 9).

Among others the following citations will be read from the Bible:—"For these nations which thou shalt possess, hearkened unto observers of times, and unto diviners: but as for thee, the Lord thy God hath not suffered thee so to do. And when they shall say unto you, seek unto them that have familiar spirits, and unto wizards that peep, and that mutter: should not a people seek unto their God? for the living to the dead? To the law and to the testimony: if they speak not according to this word it is because there is no light in them. Comfort ye, comfort ye my people, saith your God." (Deut. 18: 14; Isa. 8: 19, 20; Isa. 40: 1).

The following citations will also be read from the Christian Science Text-book, "Science and Health with key to

the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy:—"When the Science of Mind is understood, spiritualism will be found mainly erroneous, having no scientific basis nor origin, no proof nor power outside of human testimony. It is the offspring of the physical senses. There is no sensuality in Spirit. Animal magnetism has no scientific foundation, for God governs all that is real, harmonious, and eternal, and His power is neither animal nor human. Its basis being a belief and this belief animal, in Science animal magnetism, mesmerism, or hypnotism is a mere negation, possessing neither intelligence, power, nor reality, and in sense it is an unreal concept of the so-called mortal mind. Mankind must learn that evil is not power." (Pages 71, 102).

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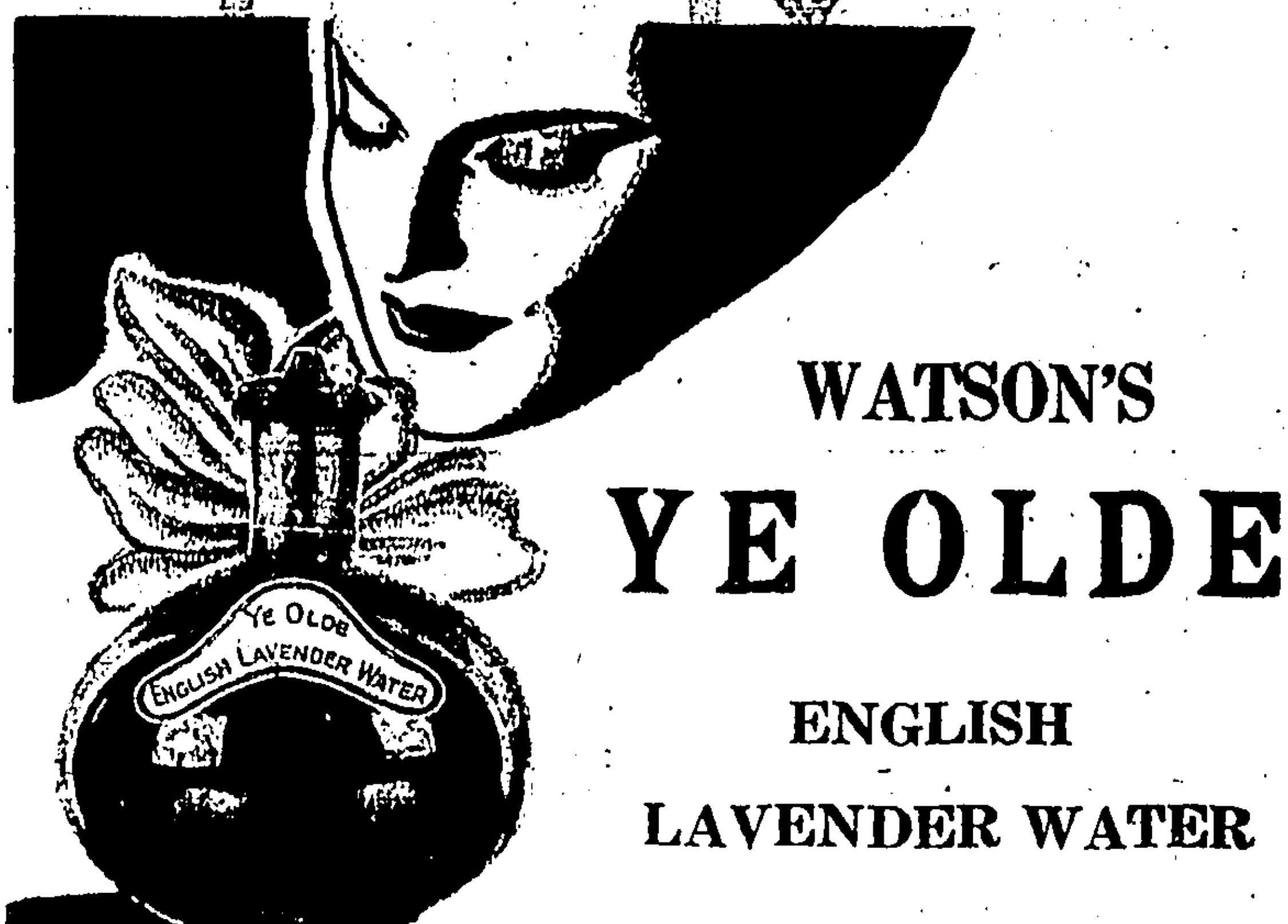
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MIRROR OF OPINION

It is clear that Britain's new bold conversion policy must fail—and fail disastrously—unless there is complete faith that the British Government means business. Appeasement is no mortar with which to bind together the bricks of the anti-aggression pacts.

How can the nation be convinced of the Government's determination? How can Europe be convinced? In our view there is only one way to carry conviction, a way which we have long been urging. It is the inclusion in the Cabinet of the men who realised from the start that the one hope of peace lay in courage: Mr. Churchill, Mr. Eden, and Mr. Duff Cooper. Their presence in the Government could not be misinterpreted.—“Time and Tide.”

There are millions of citizens who are hesitating, and with justice, to proceed wholeheartedly under Mr. Chamberlain's banner along these difficult and unpleasant paths. There are millions more who, though on this matter they would give the present Cabinet their vote, would far rather give it to a wider and stronger Government.

If the Opposition can fairly be asked to accept a measure that their own foreign policy requires, Mr. Chamberlain can with at least equal fairness be asked to take into his Cabinet the men whose policy he has adopted.—“New Statesman and Nation.”

Everything depends on British preparedness to weather the first storm; not only our own self-preservation, but the morale of our allies and the prospects of others joining us. Everything depends on it. What, then, should be done?

First we should have a War Cabinet now. The Hoares, the Simons, the Runcimans, and all who have not the wit nor the courage to handle strategical matters, should be weeded out. Lord Stanhope's speech, and Mr. Chamberlain's flabby reaction, was a revelation of the standard of competence with which the Prime Minister is satisfied among his lieutenants. Lord Lloyd, Mr. Churchill and others who have courage to take decisions should be brought in at once.

We must also press on with a Grand Alliance. Time is short; all the more reason for pressing on. Thirdly, we should immediately stop the scandal that allows British merchants and profiteers still to sell pig iron and scrap iron in large quantities to Germany.—“The National Review.”

Some observers think that Germany will take the law into her own hands some day when Danzig is not upper-most in people's minds. At present Poland is fully prepared for a sudden coup. The possibility of the Danzig Senate's declaring the city part of the German Reich is also engaging Poland's attention.

If Europe is not to give herself up to the continual pushing of frontiers hither and thither according as the dominating country or the war victors determine, due attention must be paid to Colonel Beck's remark last week: “The Free City of Danzig was not invented by the Versailles Treaty. It has existed for many centuries as a result, properly speaking, if we set apart the emotional element, of a positive ‘cross’ between Polish and German interests.”—“Great Britain and The East.”

According to Herr Hitler resistance by Britain, France and Russia to Germany's seizure of Czecho-Slovakia would have been encirclement. The organisation of resistance to any act of aggression against Poland or Rumania is an attempt at encirclement. Offence is a virtue, defence a crime. But even the defence that is being organised imports no blind maintenance of the status quo.

So long as the doctrine that might is right prevails in Berlin and Rome, then the only answer is the organised defence which it pleases the propagandists in those capitals to call encirclement.

The wisdom of the peaceable discussion of contested claims has been recognised by every responsible statesman in the Peace Front countries, most notably and most recently Colonel Beck. But argument cannot begin till threats and provocation are laid aside. Only Germany and Italy can take that step, for the threats are emanating from them alone.—“The Spectator.”

Herr Hitler has developed a new technique in warfare. He has developed tactics that amount to a warfare of nerves, which he has exploited successfully ever since he marched into Austria. The Totalitarian States are beginning to realise that the time has come when Britain is strong enough to call a halt to these tactics, and she will be able to enforce the command.

It does not seem possible that when Hitler realises that there is nothing more to be gained from a war of nerves, he will commence a war of bloodshed, unless he does this as a last desperate effort to create a diversion from the internal affairs of Germany.—“West African Review.”

Indirectly the imminence of “full employment” brings very much closer the point at which a recasting of financial policies becomes essential if we are to avoid inflation.

When the 350 million borrowing programme was first announced, there seemed to be some ground for hoping that “full employment” could be postponed until about next spring; this view was then expressed, with some reservations, in “The Economist.” A reconsideration of that opinion is now necessary. Full employment, with the changes in financial and economic policy that it demands, will be upon us long before next spring.—“The Economist.”

COLDSTREAM GUARDS IN BATTLE OF BROADWAY

Sixty men of the Coldstream Guards—a regiment whose glorious deeds fill pages of British military history—fled in disorder on New York's Broadway recently.

They fought a gallant but hopeless battle against an army of adoring women of all ages.

They were besieged later behind barricades high up in the Hotel Taft. They are the band of Coldstream Guards, which landed from the Aquitania.

The band is to play at New York's World's Fair.

In full dress uniform the men marched from the quayside through crowded streets.

They swung along. Martial music rang in the canyons between the skyscrapers.

They progressed through the city followed by a mob of admiring girls which grew larger every minute.

Girls, ogling the marching Guardsmen, so handsome in their scarlet tunics and bearskins, shouted such warcries as:

"Oh! Aren't they just too cute!"

"Buy me that, mamma!"

"Too, too devine!"

"I guess they're genuine Bengal Lancers!"

Playing "The Stars and Stripes Forever," the brave Guardsmen marched on to Broadway's Hotel Taft.

Perhaps that call to America's patriotism is to blame for the Battle of Broadway, 1939.

The adoring girls converged on the Guardsmen and charged.

Step by step the gallant soldiers retreated.

Then, completely overwhelmed, they fled in disorder up countless steps.

They rushed to their rooms high up in the hotel and barricaded themselves in.

P.S.—The police may have to send for the U.S. Marines to safeguard the Guards at the World's Fair.



John Payne, who plays the romantic lead opposite Margaret Lindsay in "Garden of the Moon," at the King's Theatre to-day.

BRITISH AND FRENCH BANK HEADS CONFER

London, May 20.

British and French determination to co-operate in financial and economic domains in order to supplement their military solidarity is seen in the unexpected visit here of M. Pierre Fournier, Governor of the Bank of France.

M. Pierre Fournier arrived here this evening upon an urgent invitation of Mr. Montagu Norman, Governor of the Bank of England. The two will proceed to a thorough examination of both Central Banks. M. Fournier will be back in Paris by Wednesday.—Havas.



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RUMANIA CONCERNED AT JEWISH IMMIGRATION

Bucharest, May 20.

The Rumanian Government is very much concerned by the continual exodus of Jewish refugees from Austria and Czechoslovakia through Rumania. One hundred and fifty Austrians who arrived in Constanza three months ago, are still there at present.

Five Hungarian vessels filled with refugees are anchored at Sulina, a small port at the mouth of the Danube, pending a decision as to what is to become of the emigrants.

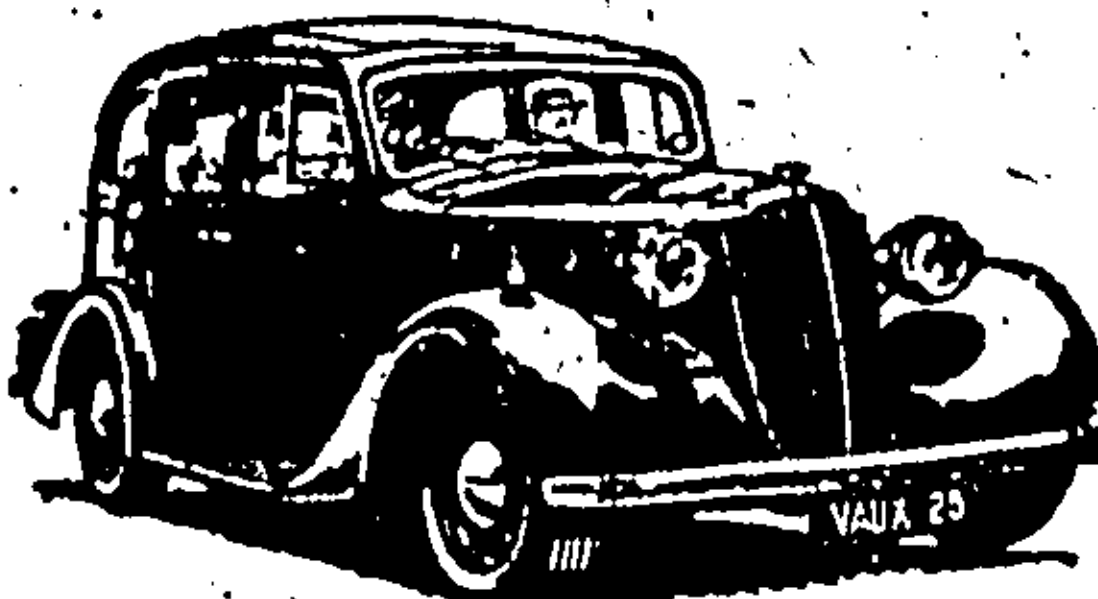
A fraudulent entry into Palestine is practically impossible at present, and the authorities are having a difficult time in wrestling with the many humanitarian problems resulting from the increasing number of Jewish refugees in this country.—Havas.

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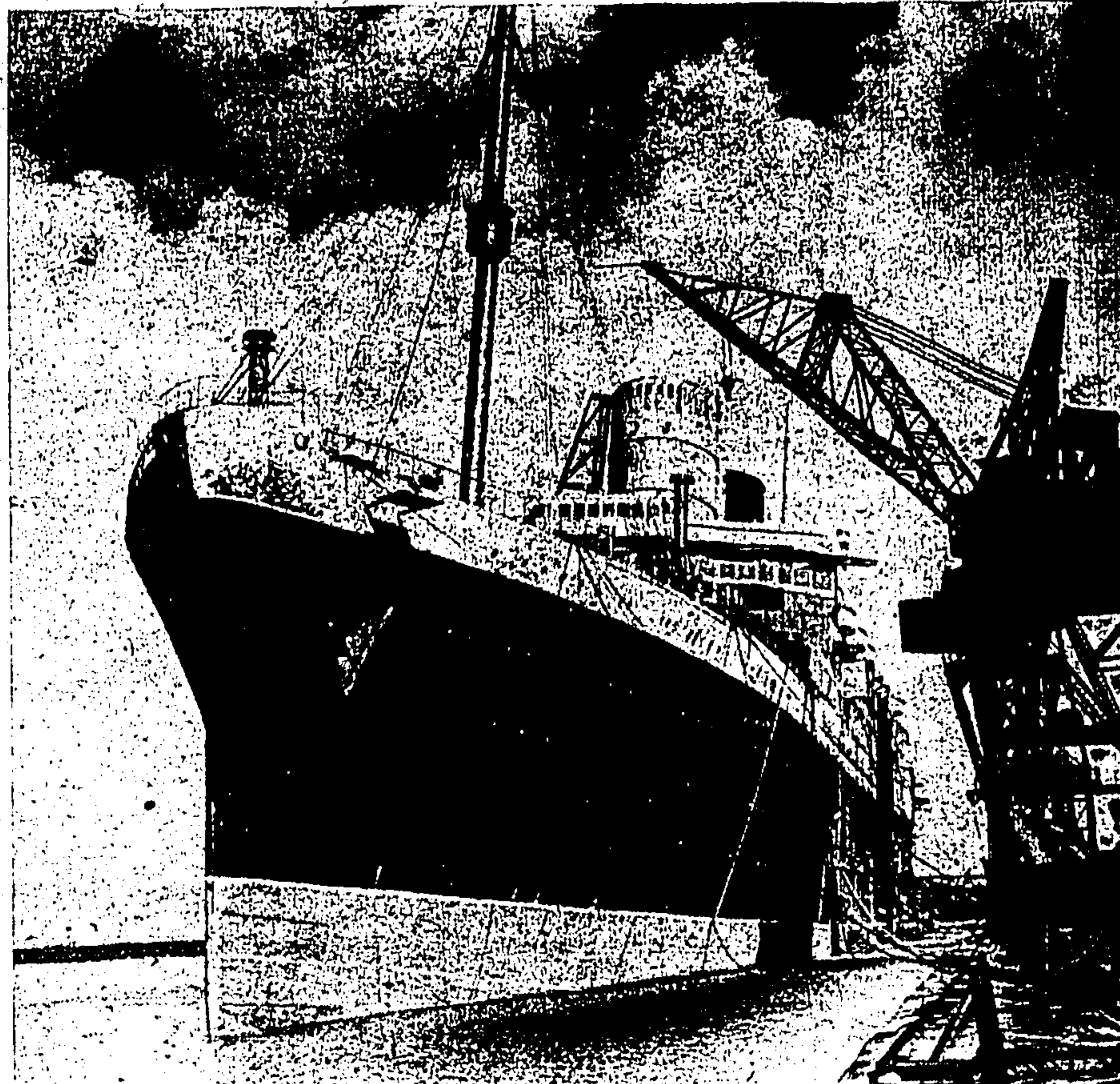
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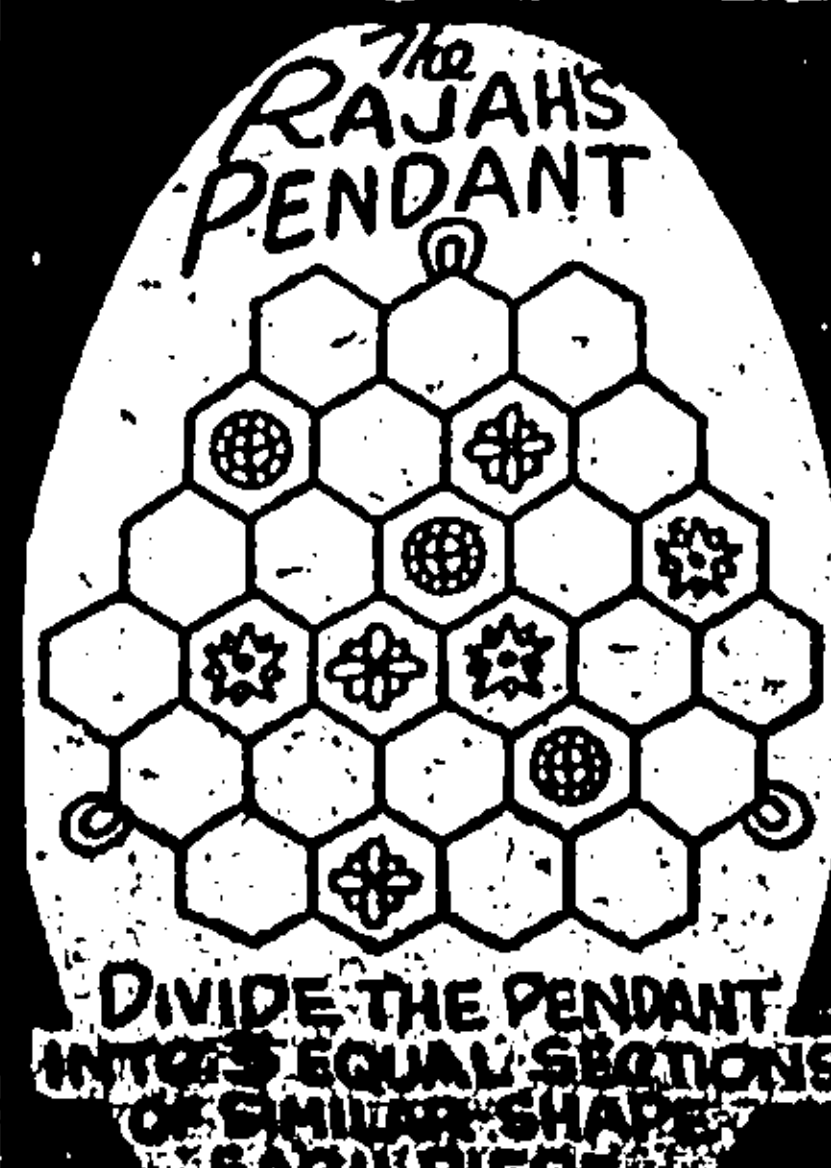
STREAMLINED "MAURETANIA" NEARS COMPLETION. As the new Mauretania's striking streamlined beauty can now be appreciated. Everything about the ship with its modern lines and will present as she sails from Liverpool on her maiden voyage. Photo shows an impressive picture of the streamlined Mauretania nearing completion in the shipyard at Birkenhead.



GIRL TRAINS RACEHORSES. Only seventeen years old, Miss Myrtle Lathbury, in charge of her father's string of racehorses at Ottershaw, near Chertsey, where in the past she has turned out many winners under Pony Turf Club rules. Photo shows Miss Lathbury her entry for the first meeting at Northolt Park giving her a final gallop to "Auntie Doris" and "Flaring" (on outside) at Ottershaw.

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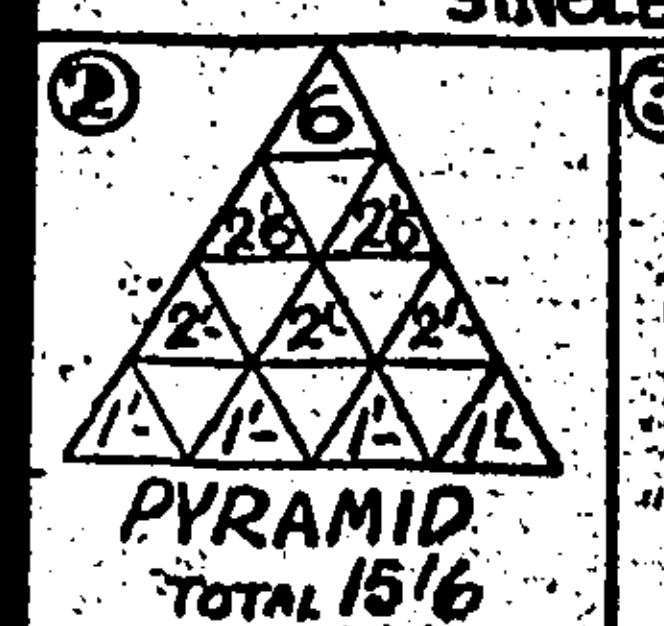
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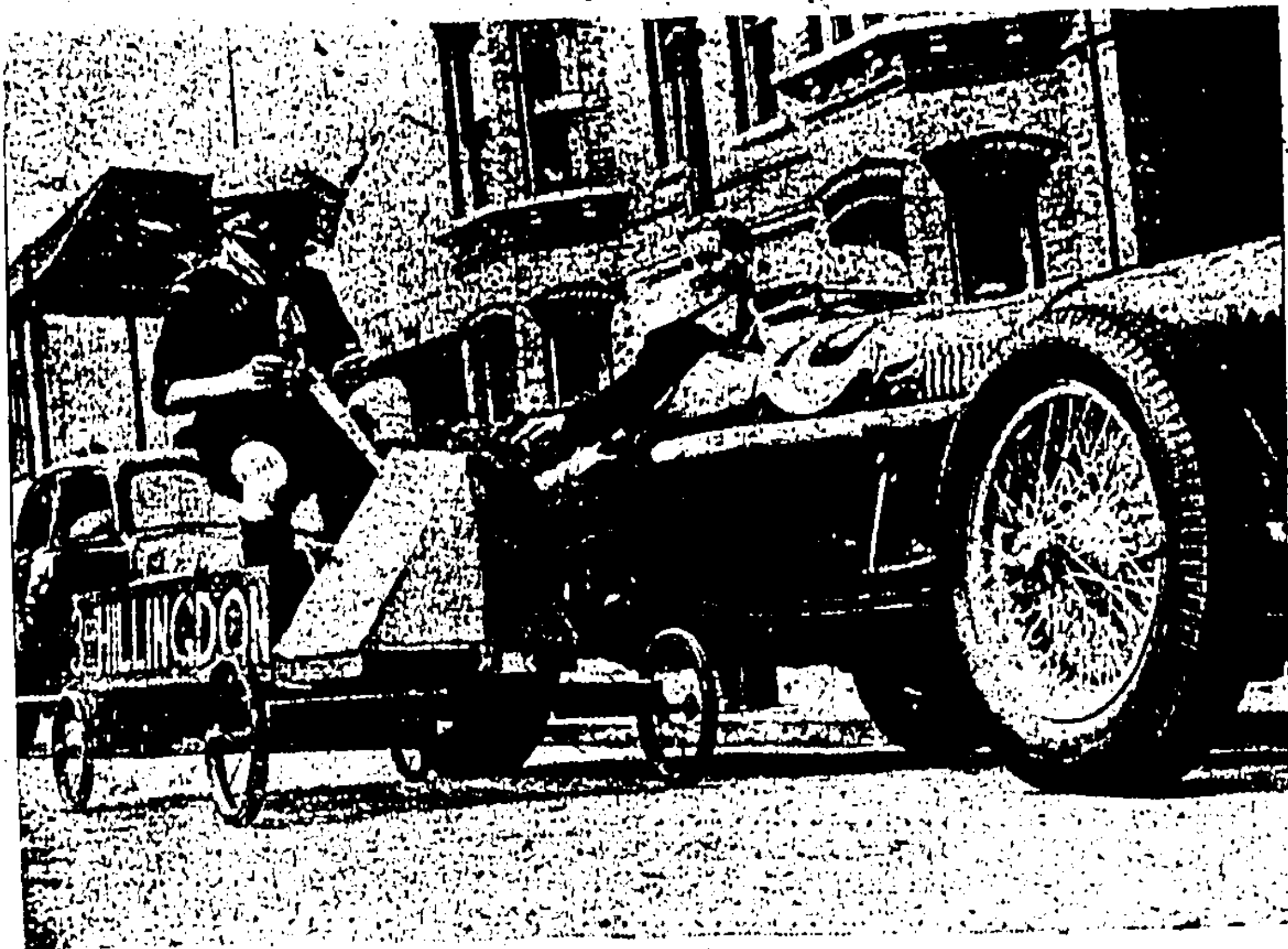


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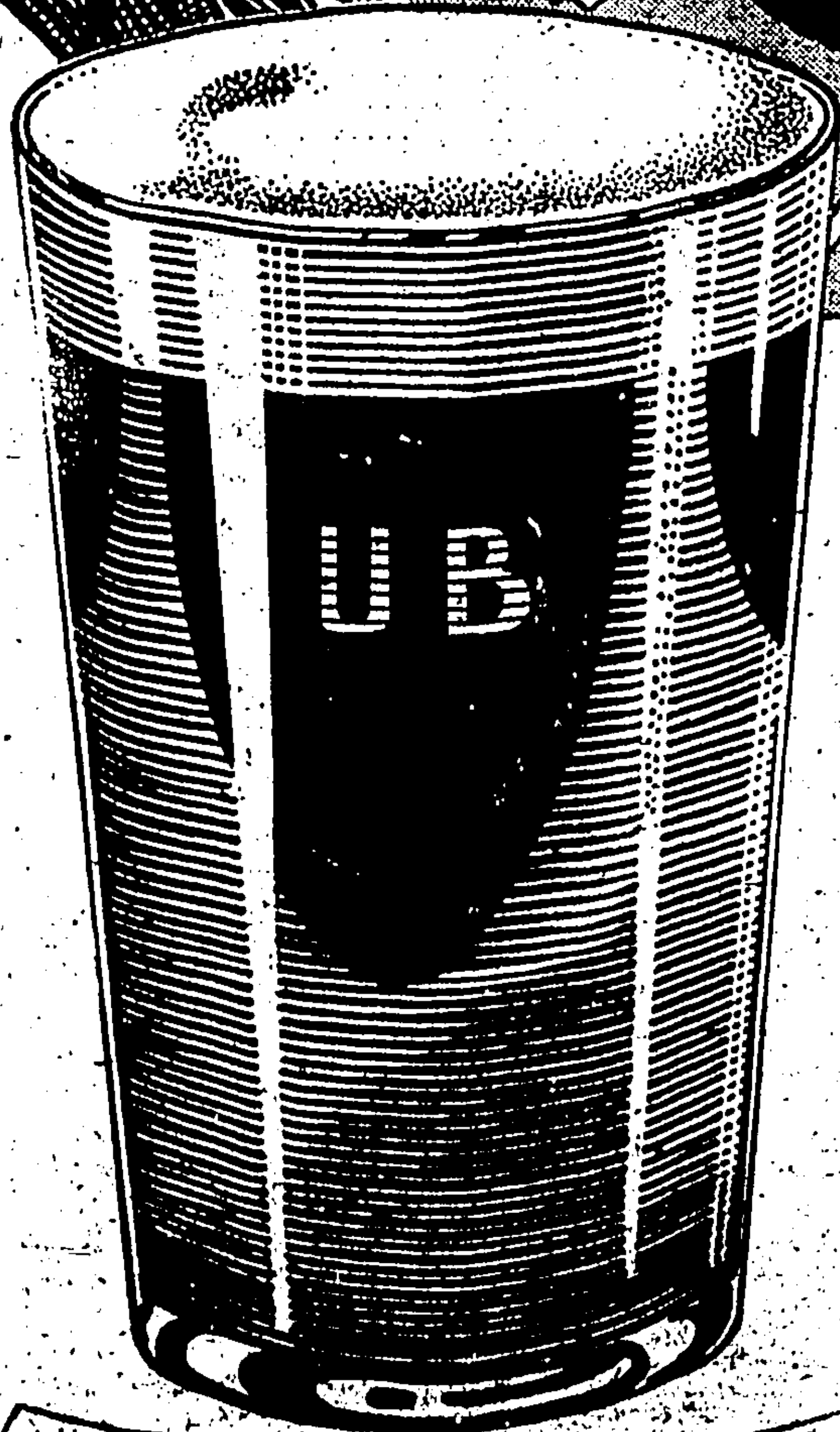
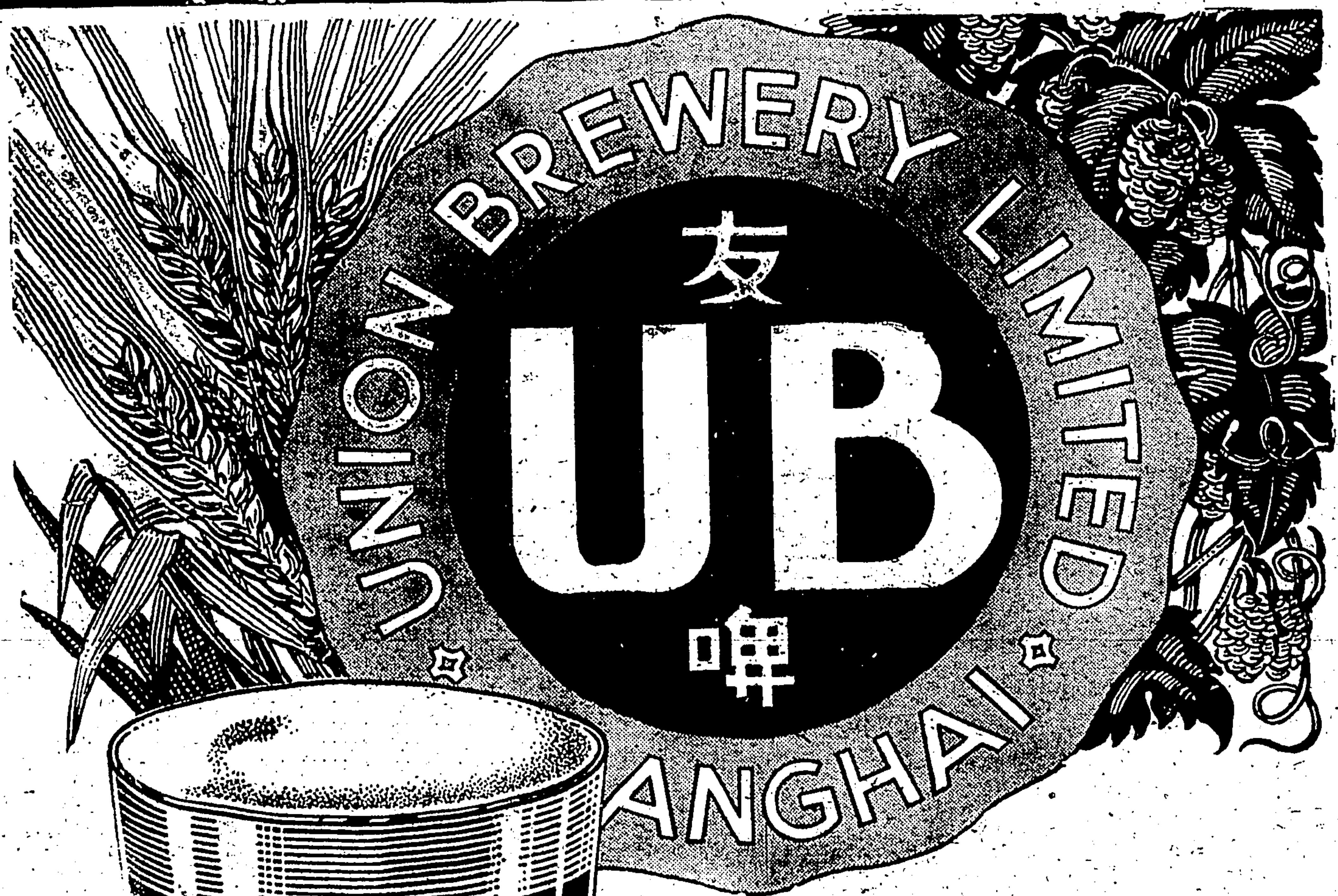


TWO OF A KIND.—All the thrills of Britain's first Soap-Box Derby, in which Boy Scouts raced round part of the Crystal Palace track in home-made "cars" were seen on May 19. No "car" must have cost more than 50s. to construct, and the drivers were entered by various Boy Scouts Troops. There were four races, the final being decided later in the year. The Soap-Box Derby precedes the International Sydenham Trophy Race for man-size racing cars. Photo shows David Keane, complete in crash helmet, of the 3rd. Hillingdon, photographed in his "car", which cost 17/3½d to make. He is seen



PORT OF LONDON MODEL FOR NEW ZEALAND.—The Port of London Authority are making a model of Tower Bridge which is to be sent to New Zealand. The model, 10 feet by 15 feet, will grace the Port of London Authority pavilion at the New Zealand Exhibition. Photo shows: Painting the backcloth which will be placed underneath the model of the bridge.

chatting to Kenneth Evans, the racing-motorist who was seen driving one of the 'man-size' cars. (By Air Mail).



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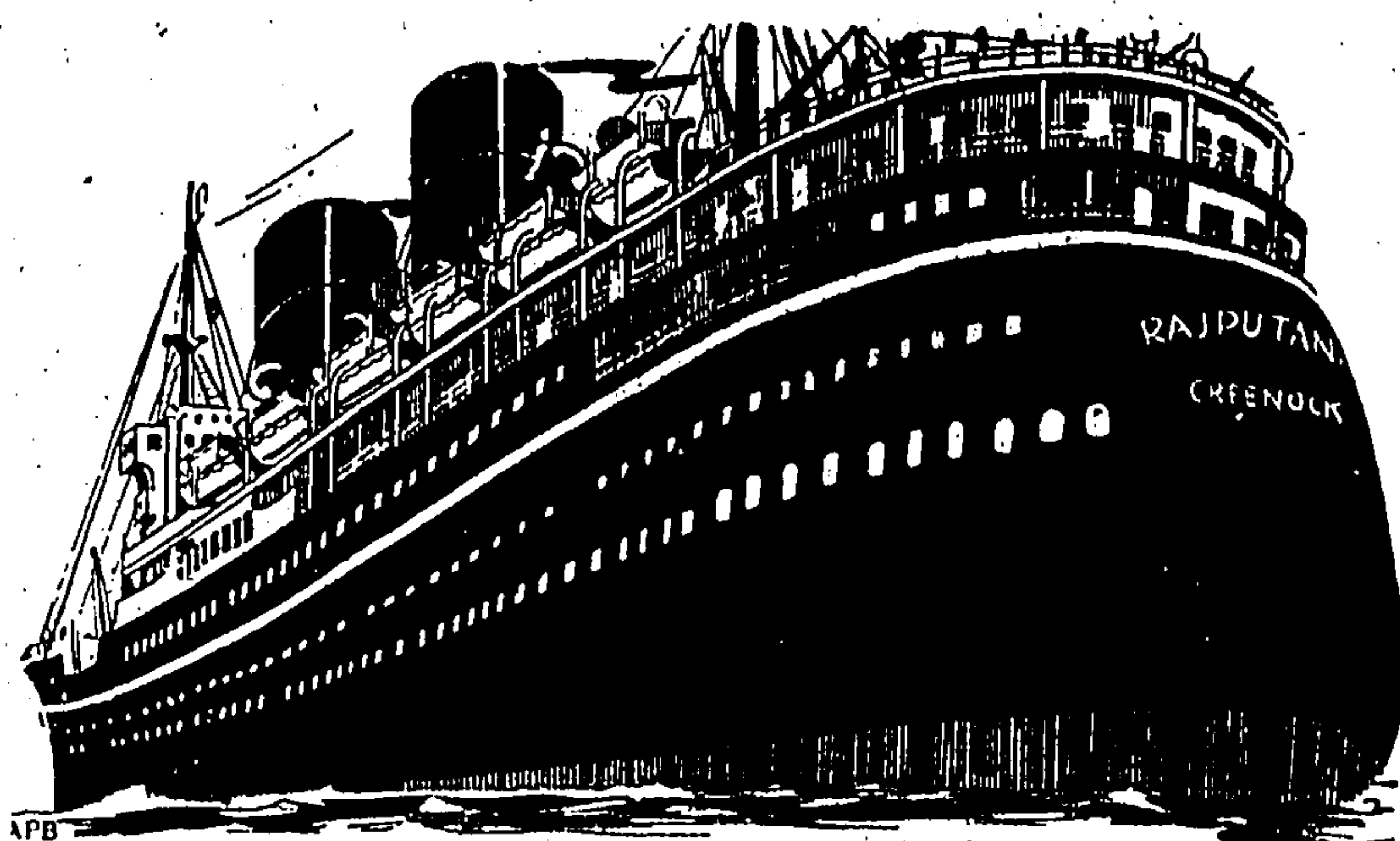
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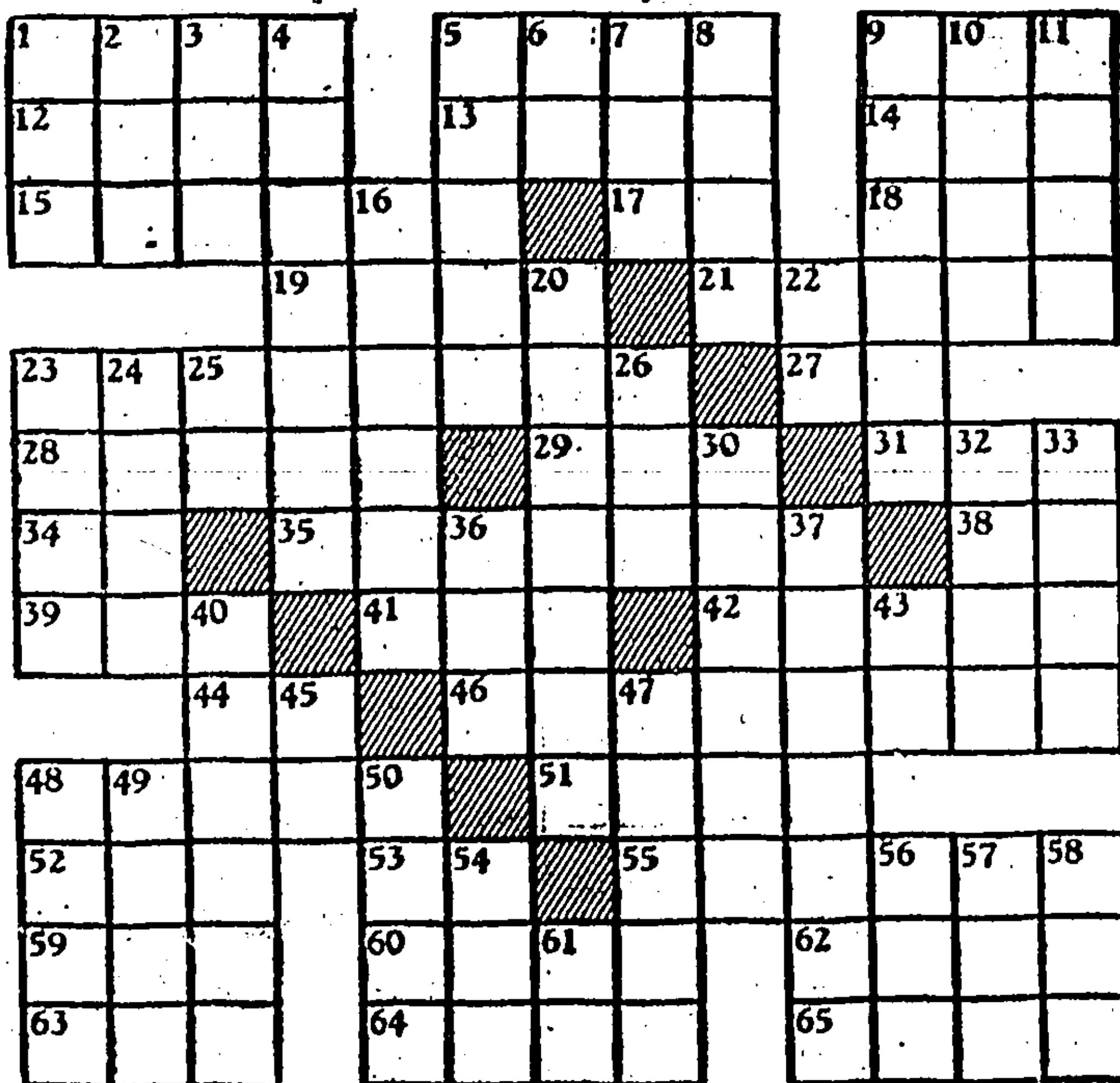
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- 1 Young cow
- 5 To smear
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- 12 Sea in Asia
- 13 Girl's name
- 14 Uncle Tom heroine
- 15 Bring to mind
- 17 Comparative suffix
- 18 Vigor
- 19 Russian weight
- 21 Attendants
- 23 Calmed
- 27 Exists
- 28 Constellation
- 29 Distant
- 31 Type measure (pl.)
- 34 Egyptian sun god
- 35 Complained
- 38 Mulberry
- 39 Dwarfish sprite
- 41 Without
- 42 Crystal lined stone cavity
- 44 Concerning
- 46 Called for
- 48 Separate from
- 51 Example
- 52 Wheel track

VERTICAL

- 53 Pronoun
- 55 Harvester
- 59 Goddess of discord
- 60 Indian weight
- 62 Biblical weed
- 63 Couch
- 64 To fasten
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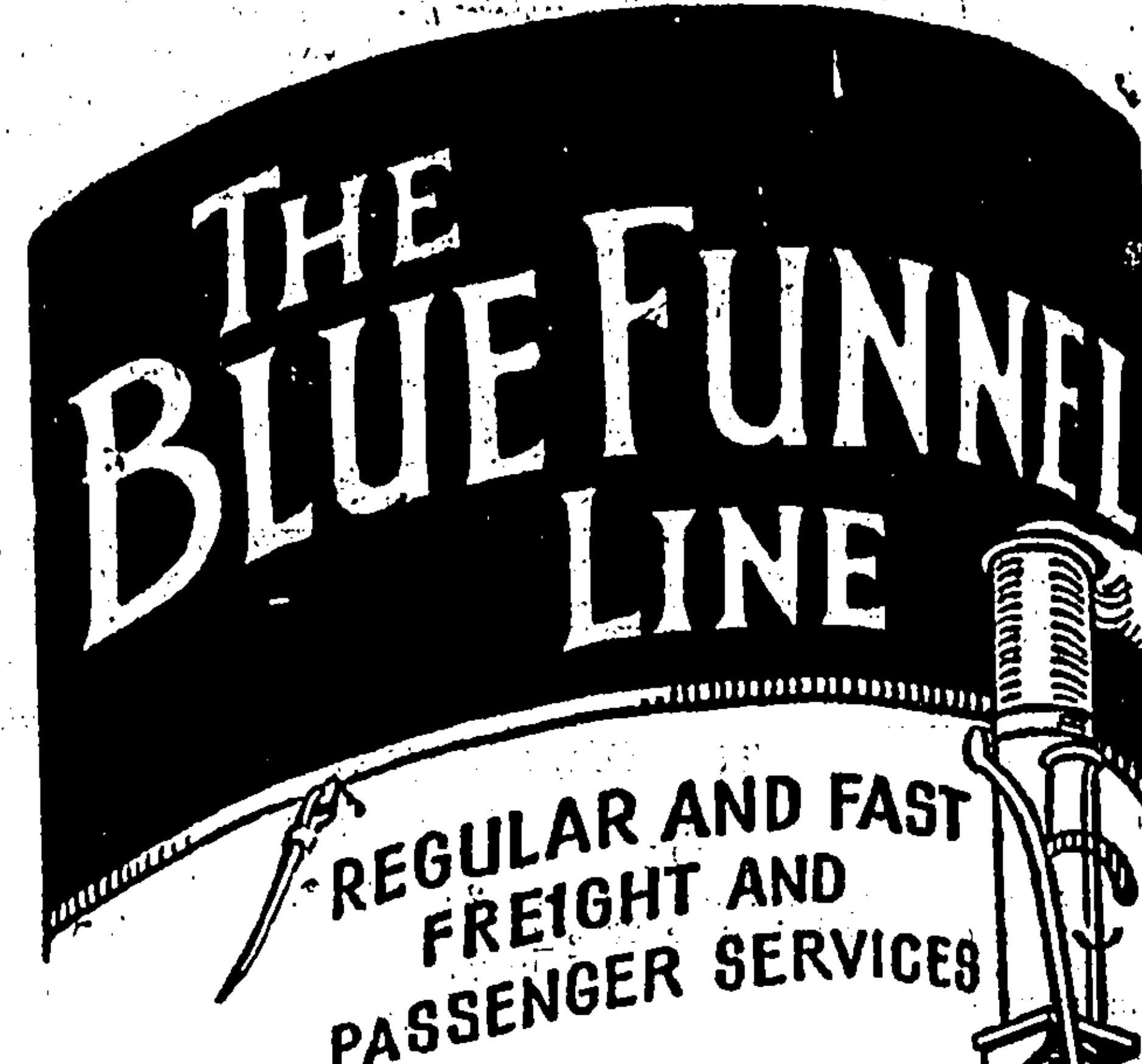
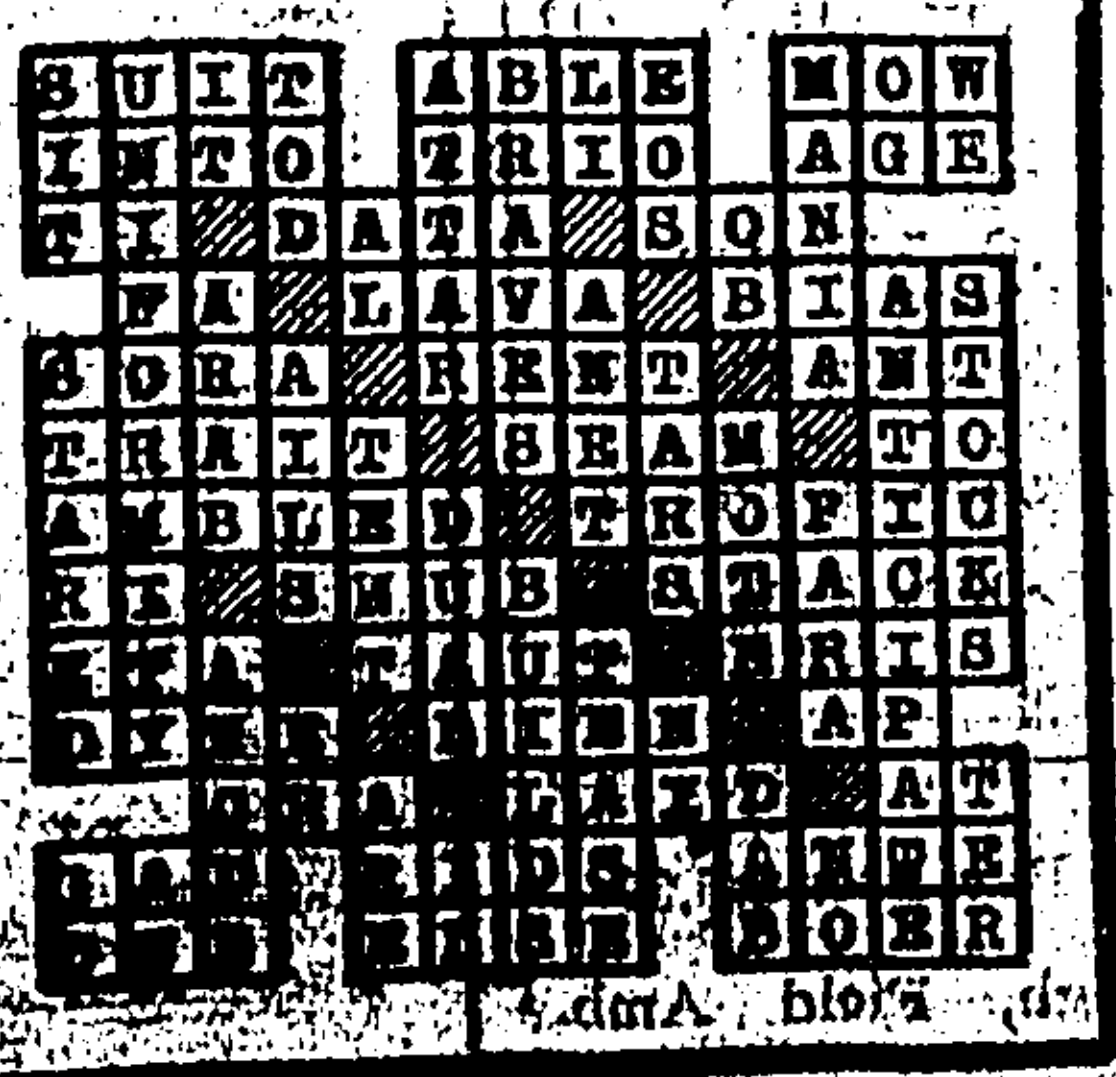
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- 4 Young game bird
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- 9 Invent
- 10 Eager
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16 Relaxes

- 20 Distinquished
- 22 Two toed sloth
- 23 Concern
- 24 Not written
- 25 Note of scale
- 26 Hebrew tribe
- 30 Entertain
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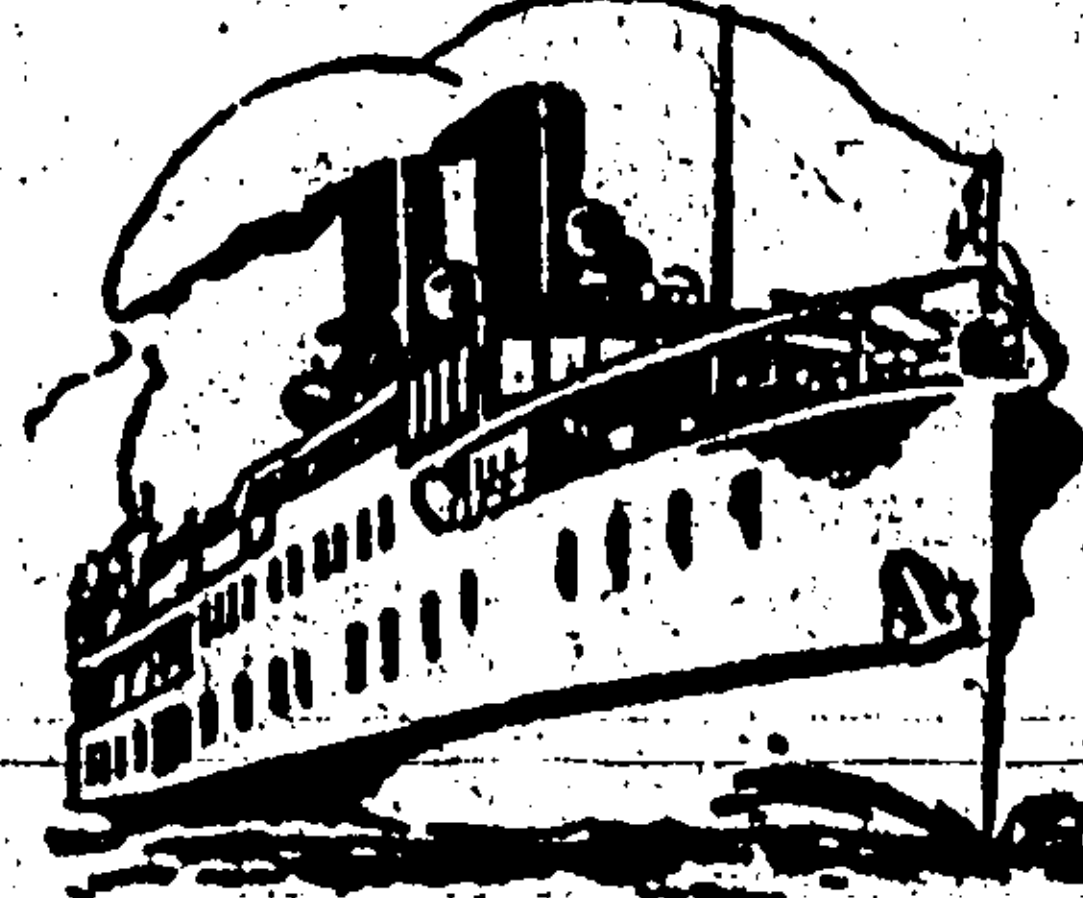
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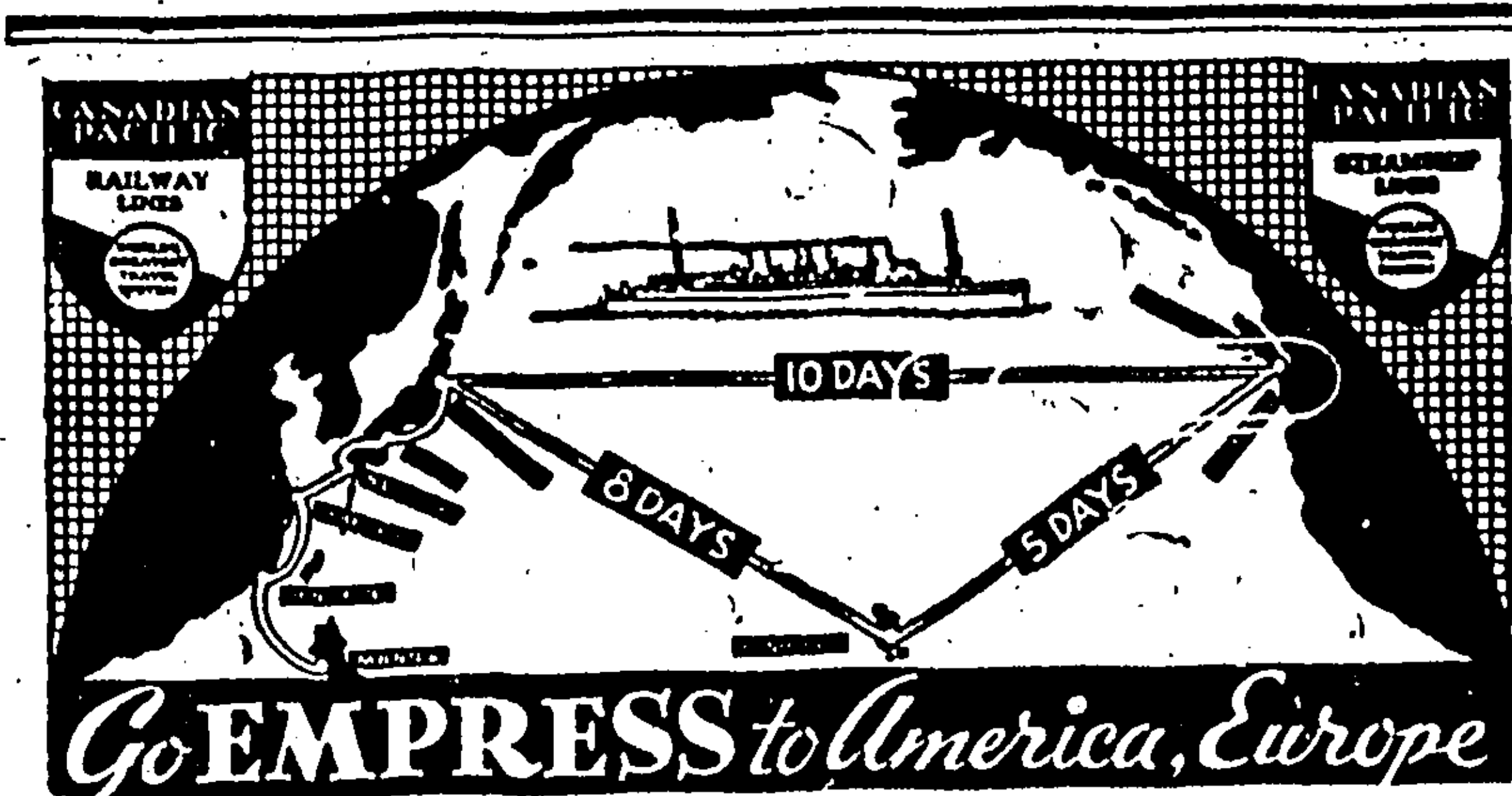
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Friday, 26th May, 1939.

APPOINTMENT AND RESIGNATIONS

Extract from Government Gazette No. 21 dated 19.5.39.

NOTIFICATION NO. 404 OF 19.5.39. Dr. Edward William Stout, M.B., Ch.B. (E. lin.) to be Lieutenant w.e.f. 26.4.39.

NOTIFICATION NO. 406 OF 19.5.39. Major Charles Manners Manners, O.B.E., be allowed to resign his commission with permission to retain his present rank w.e.f. 3.5.39.

NOTIFICATION NO. 407 OF 19.5.39. Lieut. Reginald Philip Phillips be allowed to resign his commission with permission to retain his present rank w.e.f. 6.5.39.

NOTIFICATION NO. 408 OF 19.5.39. Captain Alphonso McCoan Thornhill be allowed to resign his commission with permission to retain his present rank w.e.f. 9.5.39.

KING'S BIRTHDAY PARADE-PRACTICE

Tuesday 30th May and Thursday 1st June H.Q. 5.30 p.m. All those detailed, from Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 Companies. Dress—rifles, webbing belts and bayonets.

Officers will parade at 5.10 p.m. each day for instructions. Dress—swords will be worn.

EXAMINATION RESULT-RANGE TAKER

The following qualified in Range-Taking on 9.5.39.

Gnr. B. J. Murray, 1st Battery.

Gnr. D. W. Phillips.

WHIT MONDAY

Corps H.Q. will be closed, and no parades will take place on Whit Monday 29th May.

PARADES

1ST BATTERY

Friday 2nd June, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Lecture.

3RD BATTERY

Wednesday 31st May and Thursday 1st June H.Q. 5.30 p.m. All recruits.

BEACH LIGHT COMPANY

Thursday 1st June, H.Q. 5.45 p.m. L.L. instruction. Recruits, squad and arms drill.

DEMOLITION AND WORKS COMPANY

Thursday 1st June, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Demolitions, bridges and tunnels.

CORPS SIGNALS

Friday 2nd June, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Maintenance check of motor cycles.

ARMoured CAR PLATOON

Tuesday 30th May, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. M.G. training.

Friday 2nd June, K.C.R. Workshop. 5.30 p.m. Driving. Dress—Blue overalls and R.T.C. Caps.

MOTOR MACHINE GUN PLATOON

Friday 2nd June, (I) N.C.O.'s, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. (II) Privates, Hung Hom Railway Depot, 5.30 p.m. Riding practice.

NO. 1 M.G. COMPANY

Those detailed for King's Birthday Parade see para. 2 above.

Tuesday 30th May, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. No. 4 (Troop) Platoon, M.G. training.

NO. 2 M.G. COMPANY

Those detailed for King's Birthday Parade see para. 2 above.

NO. 3 M.G. COMPANY

Those detailed for King's Birthday Parade see para. 2 above.

NO. 4 M.G. COMPANY

Those detailed for King's Birthday Parade see para. 2 above.

Sunday 28th May, Peak Range, 9.30 a.m. Those detailed. Rifle Table A.

Dress—optional. Musketry Order. Free vouchers for Peak Tram will be issued to those firing, at H.Q. Stores before 9 a.m.

Friday 2nd June, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Recruits.

NO. 5 M.G. COMPANY

Tuesday 30th May, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Recruits. Points B.D.A. Remainder, I.A.

ANTI-AIRCRAFT COMPANY

Tuesday 30th May, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Stripping and assembling (component parts), care and cleaning.

FIELD AMBULANCE

Wednesday 31st May, H.Q. (I) N.C.O.'s Class, 5.30 p.m. (II) Remainder, 6 p.m.

PAY SECTION

Friday 2nd June, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. PROMOTIONS

2939, S/Sgt. R. J. Shrigley, Pay Sec. S.Q.M.S. 26.5.39.

2662, S/Sgt. J. Hargreaves, Pay Sec. S.Q.M.S. 26.5.39.

2576, Sgt. A. C. Tribble, Pay Sec. S/Sgt. 26.5.39.

LEAVE

2379, Pte. N. Sykes, No. 1 M.G. Coy 1.4.39—31.3.40.

Lieut. A. A. Dand, Pay Sec. 8.5.39—1.3.40.

2679, Cpl. R. Leigh, Field Amb. 19.5.39—15.9.39.

2225, L/C. L. Alltree, Corps Signals 15.5.39—15.8.40.

1786, Sgt. A. Mann, A. S. C. Coy. 19.5.39—15.7.39.

3051, Bdr. T. J. Houston, 3rd Bty. 27.5.39—12.6.39.

1538, A. L/S. H. Gubbay, No. 3 M.G. Coy. 4.6.39—3.7.39.

TRANSFERS

2302, Spr. G. Y. Chen, R.O.D.C., Con. Sec. Dem. and Works Coy. 19.5.39.

3381, Pte. H. J. Tebbutt, Res. Sec. B. Dem. and Works Coy. 23.5.39.

2909, L/Bdr. G. L. Eastgate, 1st Bty. 3rd Bty. 26.5.39.

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YVONNE WELL AGAIN

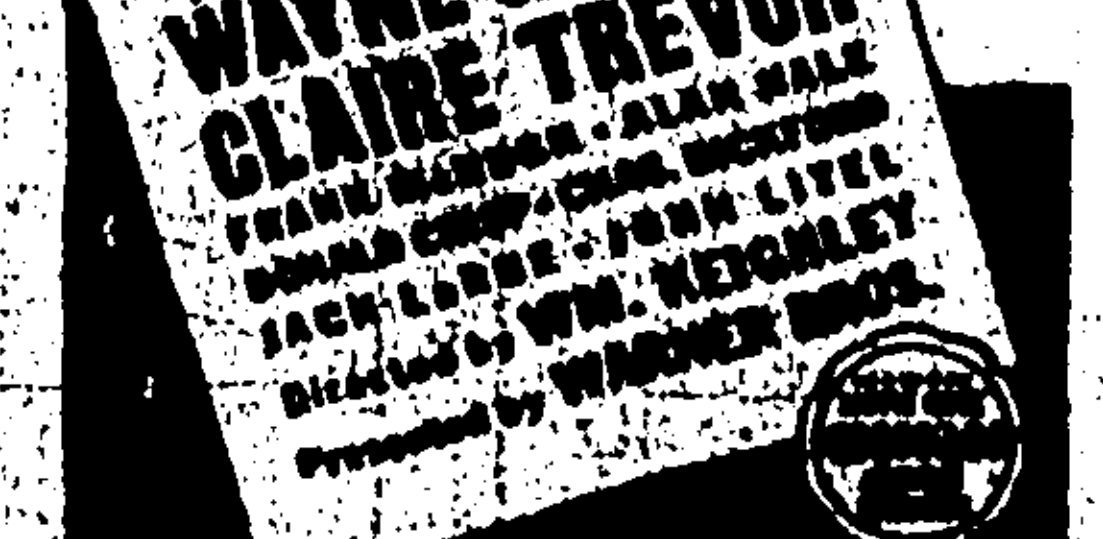
THE VOICE OF YVONNE, POPULAR CROONER AT THE GRIPPS AND THE ROOF GARDEN OF THE HONG KONG HOTEL, WILL BE HEARD AGAIN THIS EVENING AFTER AN ABSENCE OF THREE WEEKS.

Yvonne, it will be recalled, was suddenly taken ill while celebrating her birthday on May 6 and had to be rushed to the Canossa Hospital where it was found that she was suffering from appendicitis.

An operation was performed the same evening and Yvonne was able to leave the Hospital last Monday. She has now completely recovered.

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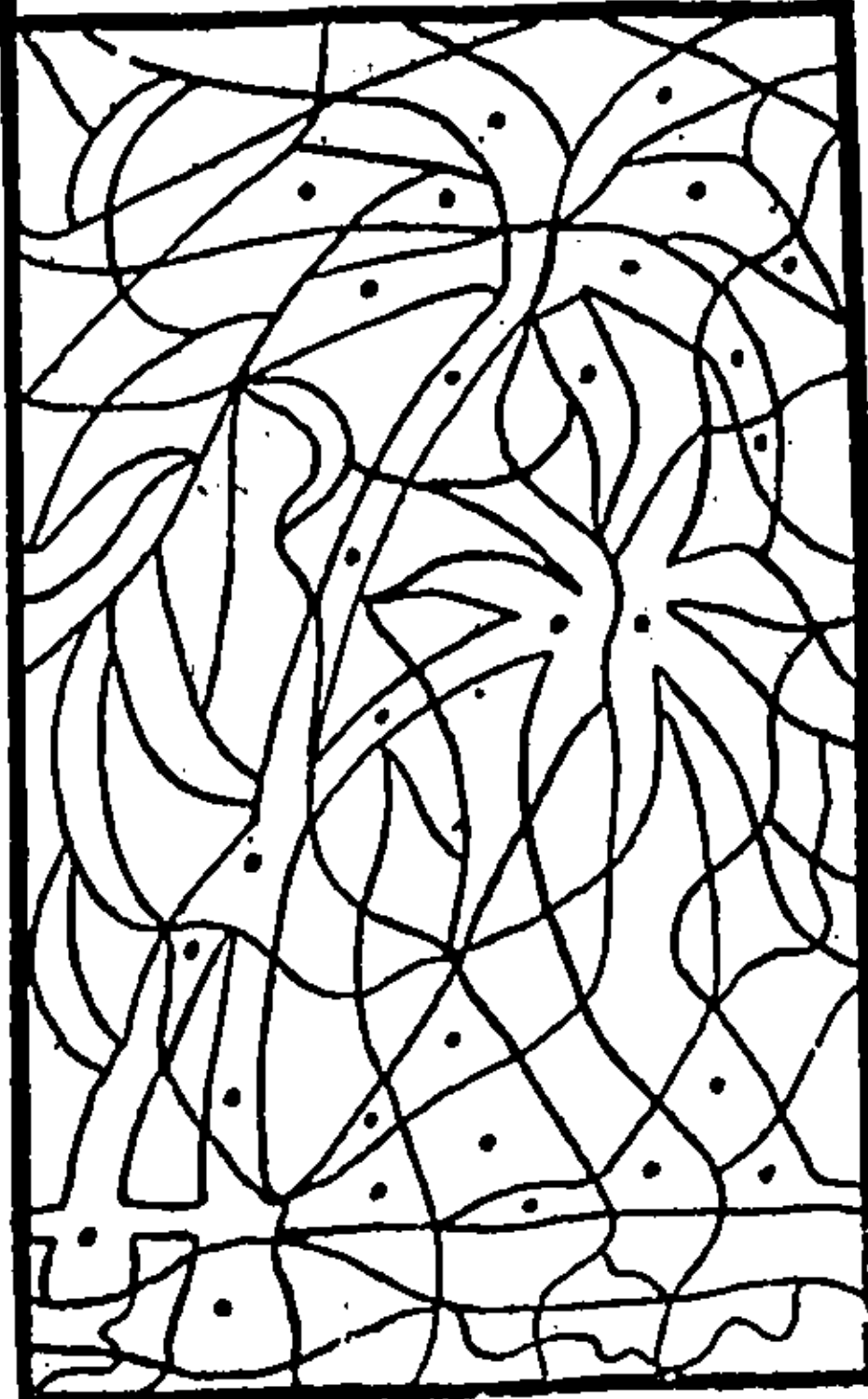
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2691, Sgt. W. L. Walker, 2nd Bty. 3rd Bty. 26.5.39.
2542, Bdr. C. N. Dragon, 1st Bty. 3rd Bty. 26.5.39.
2509, Bdr. A. J. Hussain, 1st Bty. 3rd Bty. 26.5.39.
2503, Bdr. D. J. Leonard, 1st Bty. 3rd Bty. 26.5.39.
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2543, L/Bdr. A. M. Wahab, 1st Bty. 3rd Bty. 26.5.39.
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YACHT CLUB QUESTIONS DISCUSSED BY YACHT RACING ASSOCIATION

Various questions raised by Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club were the subject of considerable discussion by the Council of the Yacht Racing Association which met in London last week under the chairmanship of the president, Sir William Burton, writes the London correspondent of the "China Mail."

The questions, together with answers, are appended:—

A collision having occurred, must it be reported in all cases by one or both colliding yachts? *Answer—A breach of any rule should be the subject of a protest, and attention is called to Rule 1.*

May competitors having witnessed collision, and finding it not reported, bring it to the knowledge of the Sailing Committee without having flown protest flag? *Answer—No.*

Is competitor, owner, helmsman, or crew in race, being member of Sailing Committee, and not involved in case, except in matter of points or position awarded, to be regarded as interested party under Rule 49? *Answer—Yes.*

Is competitor bound to avoid touching another competitor who is in the wrong? *Answer—Not in all cases.*

Is a competitor who is in the right, but can avoid collision, allowed to touch a yacht which is in the wrong in order to avoid breach of rules by that yacht? *Answer—Yes, in certain cases. In the previous and in this question, attention was called to Rule 1.*

OTHER BUSINESE

Among other business dealt with by the meeting was the granting of applications for recognition to Mayflower Sailing Club, of Plymouth;

Maylandsea Bay Yacht Club, Essex; Medway Cruising Club, Gillingham, Kent; Royal Signals Sailing Association, Wilts.; Yorkshire Ouse Sailing Club, and an African organisation, the Mazoe Sailing Club, of Salisbury, Rhodesia.

Two of the five new members elected to the Association were proposed by the chairman, Leonard Hampson and Major G. F. Flemmich. The other three were Graham Mitchell, A. H. R. Fedden, and E. W. Hicks.

The consideration of questions relating to the increase of income necessary to carry the burden of a new assistant secretary, handicapping fees, &c., were referred to a sub-committee, as was the question whether members might be asked to invite yachtmen to become members.

WHAT TO WATCH

TO-DAY

BADMINTON.—"At Home" and Prize Distribution, St. Andrew's Vicarage, 4.30 p.m.
BASEBALL.—Brewery v. South China, Caroline Hill, 2.30 p.m.

LAWN BOWLS.—

First Division: Craigengower v. Indians, Kowloon B.G.C. v. Police, Civil Service v. Recreio "B", Kowloon C.C. v. Recreio "A".

Second Division: Civil Service v. Taikoo, Kowloon Tong v. Craigengower, Kowloon F.C. v. Hong Kong F.C. "A", Kowloon B.G.C. v. Police.

Third Division: Hong Kong F.C. v. Craigengower, Recreio v. Yacht Club, Stanley v. Kowloon F.C., Electric v. Kowloon C.C.

RACES.—Fifth Extra Meeting, Happy Valley, 2 p.m. (first day).

YACHTING.—Comet Club Race for Round-Island-Cup, Repulse Bay, 3 p.m.

TO-MORROW

BASEBALL.—Chinese Baseball Club v. Recreio, (Caroline Hill, 10 a.m.).

South China v. Hong Kong Baseball Club, (Caroline Hill, 11.30 a.m.).

K.C.C. TENNIS

TO-MORROW

Weather permitting, a mixed doubles American lawn tennis tournament will be held at Kowloon Cricket Club tomorrow, commencing at 3 p.m. All members are invited to take part.

Rapier's Selections For To-Day

RACE NO. 1

COURTING EVE

SNOWY RIVER

TRIUMPHANT DAY

Outsider:—Double Finesse

RACE NO. 2

HECTIC VIEW

JENNIFER

CONQUERING TIME

Outsider:—Eve Of Harvest

RACE NO. 3

KING KONG

MARKSMAN

CELTIC STAR

Outsider:—Musketeer

RACE NO. 4

SYLVANDALE

DOUBLE CHANCE

EBONY IDOL

Outsider:—Dekko

RACE NO. 5

CRIFFEL

TORNADO STAR

VIXENTOR

Outsider:—Aztec

RACE NO. 6

POTENTATE

JOBER

AVON

Outsider:—Gladiator

RACE NO. 7

SPORTS VENTURE

GREEN BAY

THANKSGIVING DAY

Outsider:—Talkative

RACE NO. 8

JANBER

BAFFIN BAY

RUBY STAR

Outsider:—Ajax

RACE NO. 9

SOME HOPE

WILLYNILLY

HEDDON

Outsider:—Whalsey

DAILY DOUBLE:—CRIFFEL

AND SPORTS VENTURE

LEAGUE TENNIS

DUFF AND MRS. CLIFFORD GIVE FINE DISPLAYS

Under very poor conditions with a blustering wind, bad light and slippery courts, U.S.R.C. beat K.C.C. "A" at Cox's Road yesterday by 7-2 in the only match in the Mixed Doubles Division played.

At least two of the courts yesterday should not have been played on. They were badly sodden making it most difficult for players to keep their feet and balls blackened so rapidly that in the difficult light in the last round, they were almost impossible to follow.

U.S.R.C. were never in any difficulty. They were 2½-1½ up at the end of the first round and 4½-1½ after the second.

And they were not at full strength. Miss Ann Tylor, suffering from a bad attack of sunburn, was unable to play and Mrs. R. Stokes partnered L. Goldman, and, considering she was brought into the team at very short notice, gave a fine display.

STAR COMBINATION

Star U.S.R.C. Combination were W. A. H. Duff and Miss M. Griffiths, who only dropped five games in the course of the afternoon.

Duff is the ideal mixed doubles player, his long reach and tremendous height making him a formidable proposition for the opposing ladies. Feature of a steady all-round game yesterday was his brilliant overhead work. Despite the poor light, he smashed consistently from all parts of the court, being particularly impressive in this department in the last round against Guest and Mrs. Clarke.

Miss Griffiths, in her usual quiet way, gave him every support.

E. C. Fincher and Mrs. Burnett were the most successful home pair, being the only combination to win a complete set. This they accomplished in the second round against Goldman and Mrs. Stokes after they had given a dreadful display in their opening engagement against Duff and Miss Griffiths.

At his best, Fincher volleyed with precision and scored heavily with his chopped backhand, while Mrs. Burnett's best stroke was her cross-court forehand drive.

Of the other home players, Mrs. Sweeney played some nice ground strokes as did Mrs. Clarke but the latter was very apt to position herself badly and leave large expanses of court open for the opposition.

E. C. Fincher and Mrs. O. Burnett (K.C.C. "A").

lost to W. A. H. Duff and Miss M. Griffiths 2-6

beat L. Goldman and Mrs. Stokes 6-2

lost to Comdr. and Mrs. Clifford 1-6

G. C. Burnett and Mrs. Sweeney (K.C.C. "A").

lost to Duff and Miss Griffiths . . . 3-6

drew with Goldman and Mrs. Stokes 6-6

lost to Comdr. and Mrs. Clifford 2-6

A. E. P. Guest and Mrs. Clarke (K.C.C. "A").

lost to Duff and Miss Griffiths . . . 0-6

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Narrow Win For I.R.C. 'B'

In a "C" Division League tennis match on the Indian Recreation Club ground yesterday, the home "B" team beat the European Y.M.C.A. by 5-4.

Scores:

M. P. Madar and M. I. Razack (I.R.C.).

lost to W. Lomax and W. Long 3-6

beat E. Curtis and F. Timm 6-2

beat D. Spare and C. Anstice 6-0

K. M. Rumjahn and K. Nazarin (I.R.C.).

lost to Lomax and Long 3-6

beat Curtis and Timm 6-1

beat Spare and Anstice 6-1

A. R. Markar and F. A. Curreem (I.R.C.).

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lost to Curtis and Timm 3-6

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LAWN BOWLS

Recreio "A" And K.C.C. Meet This Afternoon

(By "SKIP")

Although the game between Craigengower and the Indians may prove a close contest, the tit-bit of to-day's programme will be the game between Kowloon Cricket Club and Recreio "A".

The game is to be played at Cox's Road but I think the champions will be able to overcome that disadvantage.

The Cricketers' green is undoubtedly heavy at present but as that remark also applies to the King's Park sward, the home advantage may be nullified.

There may not be many shots in it at the finish but I feel that the Portuguese team is the better balanced and should be able to reverse last season's result.

I have stated in my opening remarks that the game at Happy Valley may provide a close contest but I rather think that the homesters will have plenty in hand. The promotion of Joe Landolt to third man will not weaken the team at all.

Kowloon Bowling Green Club can look forward to their game against the Police, with a certain amount of confidence: they retain the same formation but I notice that George Moss comes into the visitor's team as a Number Two—an unusual position for him. The Civil Servants will expect to

break their duck at the expense of Club de Recreio "B", who have lost both their matches to date.

SECOND DIVISION

The two Football Clubs meet at Chat-ham Road and it will be interesting to see which of these two old rivals will emerge victorious. I fancy the mainlanders will get there by about a dozen shots, and thereby open their scoring account.

The Civil Servants will be entertaining Taikoo, and, in spite of their having shown good form, I have an idea that the visitors will gather the points at stake.

They have a well balanced team; Chalmers especially is playing up to First Division Standard.

Kowloon Tong will have Craigengower, the only unbeaten team in this Division, as their guests, and I do not think that the Valley team will lose their happy distinction.

The Kowloon Bowling Green Club second team should be able to make a double of it at the expense of the Police as the game is at Austin Road.

"SKIP'S" FORECAST FOR TO-DAY

FIRST DIVISION

Craigengower C.C. (50)	Indian R.C. (59)
Kowloon B.G.C. (68)	Police R.C. (39)
Civil Service C.C. (—)	†Recreio "B" (—)
Kowloon C.C. (67)	Recreio "A" (48)

SECOND DIVISION

Civil Service C.C. (63)	Taikoo R.C. (51)
†Kowloon Tong R.C. (—)	Craigengower C.C. (—)
†Kowloon Football C. (—)	H.K. Football C. "A" (—)
Kowloon B.G.C. (75)	Police R.C. (47)

THIRD DIVISION

H.K. Football Club (62)	Craigengower C.C. (52)
Club de Recreio (82)	Royal H.K. Yacht Club (47)
Prison Officers' Club (—)	Kowloon Football Club (—)
H.K. Electric R.C. (58)	Kowloon C.C. (59)

Scores in brackets are results of last year's match.
† Denotes a promoted team.

THIRD DIVISION

In the Third Division, the tightest match may well prove to be that between Hong Kong Football Club and Craigengower, on the former's green: I think the homesters will just about win and retain their clean ticket. Club de Recreio should have little

difficulty in beating the Yachtmen at King's Park whilst I fancy that the Prison Officers can help themselves to a couple of points against Kowloon Football Club.

The game between the Electricians and Kowloon Cricket Club will be an interesting one and I shall not endeavour to spot the winner.

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CHINA PONIES

- Half Mile**
- 0.58.3 (record)—Portrush (Encarnacao, 155); 2, Ring Master (Tao, 158); 3, Kut Cheong (Wei, 152). 2 & neck. (A.M. 1).
- 0.58.4—Strathbannock (Gregory, 161); 2, Radium Star (Marshall, 155); 3, King's Envoy (Needa, 158). 2 & ½. (A.M. 1).
- 0.58.4—Willynilly (Chao, 155); 2, Magog (Needa, 158); 3, Talkative (Tao, 158). 1½ & 1. (A.M. 1).
- Half Mile and 170 Yards**
- 1.05.0 (record)—Desert Chief (Encarnacao, 161); 2, King's Warden (Needa, 161); 3, Bear Claw (Wei, 161). 2½ & 1. (A.M. 1).
- 1.06.2—Conquering Time (Pote-Hunt, 158); 2, Eve of Heaven (Marshall, 161); 3, Avon (Hearne, 161). 2 & 2. (A.M. 2).
- 1.07.2—Eve of Heaven (Marshall, 161); 2, Galveston Bay (Wei, 161); 3, Peaceful View (Pih, 161). 3 & 2. (A.M. 3).
- 1.09.4—Marksman (Wong, 158); 2, Guinness Time (Pote-Hunt, 158); 3, Magog (Needa, 158). 1½ & 2. (A.M. 2).
- 1.11.1—Wilber (Raymond, 152); 2, Green Bay (Tao, 156); 3, Welcome (Chao, 161). ½ and 1. (2nd E. 2).
- 1.11.4—Desert Star (S. W. Pan, 155); 2, Dekko (P. Y. T. Wei, 161); 3, Guinness Time (C. Encarnacao, 158). Neck and head. (1st E.).
- 1.12.0—February Fourth (Encarnacao, 153); 2, Sea Horse (Proulx, 148); 3, Radium Star (Pih, 149). 2 and neck. (2nd E. 1).
- Six Furlongs**
- 1.23.4 (record)—Rose Elect (Encarnacao, 161); 2, Lilliber (Black, 161); 3, Blue Express (Poy, 161). Many & neck. (A.M. 1).
- 1.26.1—King's Warden (V. V. Needa, 161); 2, Humdrum Eve (H. C. Pih, 161); 3, Oak Bay (B. A. Proulx, 161). 2 and same (1st E.).
- 1.26.2—Hectic View (Pih, 148); 2, Jennifer (Proulx, 157); 3, Blue Diamond (Woo, 152). 1½ and 5 (2nd E. 1).
- 1.28.0—Blue Express (Encarnacao, 161); 2, Avon (Hearne, 161); 3, Galveston Bay (Wei, 161). 4 & ½. (A.M. 4).
- 1.28.3—Musketeer (Liang, 152); 2, Marksman (Wong, 158); 3, Oranje Boven (Encarnacao, 158). 2 & 3. (A.M. 1).
- 1.28.4—Avon (G. Treverton, 151); 2, Peaceful View (K. I. Ip, 161); 3, Jennifer (R. M. Wood, 161). Neck and 2 (1st E.).
- 1.29.1—Hectic View (Pih, 168); 2, King Kong (Raymond, 151) and Rose Emily (Encarnacao, 158). 1½ and dead heat. (3rd E.).
- 1.30.4—King Kong (Liang, 161); 2, Bressay (Hearne, 161); 3, Guinness Time (Pote-Hunt, 158). Head & same. (A.M. 4).
- 1.31.4—Pinfarthings (Churchill, 161); 2, Rose-Queen (Poy, 158); 3, Laughing Girl (Liang, 151). 6 and 2. (3rd E.).
- 1.32.0—Some Hope (Encarnacao, 151); 2, Heddon (Wei, 151); 3, Gog (Needa, 151). Neck and 2. (4th E.).
- 1.32.0—Double Chance (Raymond, 161); 2, Valorous (Ip Kui Ying, 160); 3, Sylvandale (Coppin, 163). Neck and neck. (2nd E. 1).
- 1.34.2—Tribute (Tao, 156); 2, Racing Boy (Chanson, 155); 3, Meteor (Churchill, 161). ½ and neck. (2nd E. 1).
- 7 Furlongs 45 Yards**
- 1.45.2—Red Feather (Wei, 161); 2, Moonlight View (Pih, 161); 3, Humdrum Eve (T. L. Wong, 161). 1½ & short head. (A.M. 4).
- One Mile**
- 1.55.0 (equals record)—Rose Elect (Encarnacao, 168); 2, Bear Claw (Black, 143); 3, King's Warden (Needa, 148). 2 and 6 (2nd E. 2).
- 1.55.1—Desert Chief (Encarnacao, 161); 2, King's Warden (Needa, 161); 3, Bear Claw (Black, 161). 3 & 2. (A.M. 2).
- 1.57.1—Hyndford Bridge (Needa, 158); 2, Jennifer (Black, 161); 3, Galaxy (Chao, 158). 1½ & 1½. (A.M. 2).
- 1.57.2—New Star (Marshall, 155); 2, Moonlight View (Pih, 144); 3, Humdrum Eve (T. L. Wong, 155). Short head, same. (A.M. 3).
- 1.57.4—Moonlight View (Pih, 157); 2, Rob Roy (Encarnacao, 165); 3, Conquering Time (Woo, 158). Short head and 1½. (2nd E. 1).
- 1.57.4—Galaxy (Chao, 158); 2, Avon (Wei, 156) and Gladiator (Tao, 153). 3 and dead heat. (2nd E. 1).
- 1.58.3—Lilliber (D. Black, 166); 2, Peaceful View (H. C. Pih, 158); English Cavalier (C. Encarnacao, 154). 3 and 1½ (A.M. 5).
- 1.59.4—Jennifer (Proulx, 168); 2, King Kong (Raymond, 148); 3, Rose Emily (Poy, 158). ½ and ½ (2nd E. 2).
- 2.01.1—Tampa Bay (Black, 168); 2, Scenic View (Pih, 147); 3, King's Lead (Needa, 142). Short head & short head. (A.M. 1).
- 2.01.2—King Kong (B. L. Tao, 155); 2, Strathbannock (D. Black, 154); 3, Musketeer (P. Y. T. Wei, 168). 2 and 4 (1st E.).
- 2.01.4—Rose Evelyn (Encarnacao, 165); 2, Bistre (Chanson, 160); 3, Salvage-Master (Tao, 165). 4 & 2. (A.M. 2).
- 2.01.4—Galaxy (Chao, 158); 2, Blue Scenic View (Pih, 159); 2, Rose-Queen (Encarnacao, 153); 3, Bistre (Chanson, 150). 1 and 3 (2nd E. 2).
- 2.03.3—Advancing Time (Ho Hong Ping, 161); 2, Night View (Encarnacao, 168) and Ebony Idol (Proulx, 147). 2 and dead heat. (4th E.).
- 2.04.0—Chatterbox (C. Encarnacao, 155); 2, February Fourth (T. L. Wong, 155); 3, Matador (S. C. Liang, 161). 2 and 2 (A.M. 5).
- 2.04.2—Oranje Boven (Encarnacao, 158); 2, Milleaye (Needa, 155); 3, Phoenix (Li, 155). 4 & neck. (A.M. 4).
- 2.04.4—This Time (Pote-Hunt, 158); 2, Tiny Tim (Proulx, 152); 3, Wild Bear (Pih, 152). 2 & 1. (A.M. 3).
- 2.05.2—Sylvandale (A. D. Coppin, 165); 2, Flybynight (Ho Hong-ping, 147); 3, Ebony Idol (Treverton, 140). Neck & neck (A.M. 4).
- 2.06.0—Starlet (P. L. Chiu, 158); 2, Sports Venture (C. Encarnacao, 158); 3, Wilber (D. Black, 152). ½ and 2. (A.M. 5).
- 2.06.1—Wilber (Raymond, 147); 2, Clownier (Tao, 155); 3, Starlet (P. L. Chiu, 151). ½ and ½ (4th E.).
- 2.06.1—Marksman (T. L. Wong, 165); 2, Portrush (Encarnacao, 162); 3, Chatterbox (Tao, 156). 5 & neck. (A.M. 3).
- 2.07.3—Milleaye (Needa, 149); 2, Tiny Tim (F. F. Li, 148); 3, Sports Venture (Encarnacao, 152). 2 and 1½. (2nd E. 2).
- 2.09.3—Silver Star (B. L. Tao, 156); 2, Smiling Time (C. Encarnacao, 155); 3, Pall Mall (S. L. Yuen, 158). Neck and head. (1st E.).
- 1 Mile 171 Yards**
- 1.59.4—Eve of Harvest (Marshall, 158); 2, Lilliber (Black, 161); 3, Peaceful View (Pih, 161). 3 & 1. (A.M. 4).
- 2.00.3—Honeymoon Eve (T. L. Wong, 161); 2, Just In Time (Pote-Hunt, 161). 4. (A.M. 4).
- 2.05.2—Bistre (Chanson, 155); 2, Dekko (Hearne, 155); 3, Desert Star (Needa, 150). 2 & 1. (A.M. 4).
- 2.07.4—Rob Roy (C. Encarnacao, 152); 2, King's Warden (V. V. Needa, 168); 3, Oak Bay (B. A. Proulx, 144). 1½ and 2½. (A.M. 5).
- 2.12.3—Phoenix (Chiu, 155); 2, Wild Bear (K. I. Ip, 152); 3, Geordie (Sadick, 155). ½ and 2 (2nd E. 1).
- 2.13.0—Celtic Star (Wong, 158); 2, Musketeer (Liang, 152); 3, Cyclone (Chao, 161). Short head & 2. (A.M. 2).
- 2.13.0—Just In Time (C. Encarnacao, 168); 2, Boolat Bay (H. J. A. Hearne, 158); 3, King's Lead (V. V. Needa, 144). ½ and 2. (A.M. 5).
- 2.13.1—Moonlight View (Chao, 161); 2, Humdrum Eve (Pih, 150); 3, New Star (S. W. Pan, 151). Neck and 1. (3rd E.).
- 2.13.4—Celtic Star (Needa, 148); 2, Rose Jane (Encarnacao, 165); 3, Pinfarthings (Churchill, 161). ½ and 2. (4th E.).
- 2.15.0—Rose Jane (C. Encarnacao, 150); 2, Tampa Bay (D. Black, 168); 3, Scenic View (H. C. Pih, 146). Short head and 2. (A.M. 5).
- 2.16.3—Potentate (Encarnacao, 158); 2, Just In Time (Needa, 154); 3, Jobber (Raymond, 151). 1½ and short head. (3rd E.).
- 2.17.2—Salvage Master (Tao, 165); 2, Double Chance (Needa, 168); 3, Dekko (Hearne, 166). 2 & same. (A.M. 3).
- 2.18.2—Strathbannock (Black, 161); 2, Sylvandale (Needa, 168); 3, Valorous (Ip Kui Ying, 162). 1 and 3. (2nd E. 2).
- 2.19.0—Rose-Queen (Encarnacao, 158); 2, Laughing Girl (Liang, 151); 3, Bright View (Fung, 147). 1½ and 1½. (4th E.).
- 2.21.3—Fei Ying (Proulx, 146); 2, This Time (Woo, 163); 3, Tempest (Encarnacao, 150). ½ and 2. (2nd E. 2).
- 2.31.0—National Service (Yeung Wing Kwai, 158); 2, Some Hope (K. I. Ip, 155); Thanksgiving Day (Chiu Ki Fan, 152). 1½ and 2. (3rd E.).
- 1½ Miles**
- 2.24.0—Rose Elect (Encarnacao, 161); 2, Desert Chief (Poy, 161); 3, King's Warden (Marshall, 161). 2 & 6. (A.M. 4).
- 2.26.1—Navylight (Pih, 161); 2, Eve of Harvest (Marshall, 158); 3, Conquering Time (Pote-Hunt, 158). Many & 3. (A.M. 1).
- 2.28.0—Wild Life (Wei, 145); 2, Rob Roy (Encarnacao, 152); 3, New Star (Marshall, 152). ½ & 1. (A.M. 2).
- 2.28.2—Rose Elect (C. Encarnacao, 168); 2, Moonlight View (H. C. Pih, 140); 3, Red Feather (D. Black, 140). 5 and 3. (1st E.).
- 2.30.2—Hyndford Bridge (Needa, 163); 2, Conquering Time (Pote-Hunt, 163). ½ length. (A.M. 3).
- 2.32.3—Silkylight (Pote-Hunt, 163); 2, King's Warden (Needa, 161); 3, Wild Life (Black, 163). 6 & 3. (A.M. 3).
- 2.33.1—Eve of Harvest (Black, 166); 2, Blue Express (Encarnacao, 161); 3, Jennifer (Proulx, 158). Head and 2. (3rd E.).
- 2.33.3—Marksman (V. V. Needa, 158); 2, Celtic Star (T. L. Wong, 158); 3, Oranje Boven (C. Encarnacao, 158). 2½ and ½. (A.M. 5).
- 2.34.3—Rose Jane (C. Encarnacao, 152); 2, Tampa Bay (D. Black, 161); 3, Scenic View (H. C. Pih, 140). 1½ and 1 (1st E.).
- 2.35.0—English Cavalier (Encarnacao, 153); 2, Hectic View (Pih, 168); 3, Rose Emily (Poy, 154). 1½ and ½. (4th E.).
- 2.36.0—Marksman (Needa, 165); 2, Rose Evelyn (Encarnacao, 168); 3, Celtic Star (Tao, 159). 1½ and 2 (2nd E. 1).
- 2.38.4—Celtic Star (T. L. Wong, 158); 2, Oranje Boven (Encarnacao, 158); 3, National Honour (Chanson, 158). 2 & many. (A.M. 3).
- 1½ Miles**
- 2.55.4 (record)—Rose Elect (Encarnacao, 161); 2, Navylight (Pih, 161); 3, Eve of Harvest (Marshall, 158). Many & many. (A.M. 2).

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Punch-Drunk Kid Lavigne Wins In 23rd Round To Earn Title Of

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TOUGHEST GUY IN HISTORY OF THE RING

THIS is the tale of a tough guy. His name was George Lavigne, and they called him the 'Saginaw Kid.' He was the second lightweight champion in modern fight history. He looked like a sixteen-year-old schoolboy, but actually possessed an almost inhuman resistance to punishment. He took part in some of the worst slaughterhouse fights ever known, and was possessed of that kind of courage found usually in high bred animals.

His first defence of his title was in New Orleans where he traded granite punches with a battler of the name of Andy Bowen. Straight away there occurred the type of drama that was to dog the Kid's footsteps throughout his blazing career. For the first few rounds the men fought on equal terms, but after about the sixth session Lavigne got going with his merciless swings, and he proceeded to hand out a fearful beating to the challenger. Unhooking punch after punch, he belted Bowen around the ring, and the crowd were dumbfounded to find Bowen still on his feet at the end of the tenth round, battered and bleeding from a dozen wounds. Finding his foe's head a tough nut to crack, Lavigne shifted his attack to the body, and he blasted a hundred crushing blows to Bowen's ribs, hurling him across the ring, and hammering him up against the ropes.

From the fifteenth round, the Kid, in desperation, went absolutely fight mad. Sinking his head between his shoulders he mowed in, thrashing the air with his powerful arms, and landing with thunderbolt force on his foe's head and body. For the next three rounds it was murder, and Bowen bent before the blast like a tree in a hurricane.

Tragic Tribute

Out from his corner for the eighteenth round came the champion, and he hit the weakened Bowen four shud-

dering left hooks to the stomach. Bowen went down like a shot partridge, and he was still out when they carried him to the dressing room. He was rushed to a hospital at once, but, although he rallied slightly, he died early next morning.

This was a tragic tribute to the 'Saginaw Kid's' dynamic punch, but in his next title defence Lavigne was on the receiving end of terrible punishment. He boxed Jack Everhardt, a great fighter with an undefeated record, and this was a contest that had the crowd on its feet from the first bell. The challenger practically jabbed the champion's head off, and brought roars from the fans as he used a beautiful right cross, planting it unerringly in the Kid's face. Savagely Lavigne attacked, but he ran into a brick-wall defence. Before half a dozen rounds had gone by, Lavigne was ripped to ribbons, his face a mask of blood.

Feverishly the champion's manager, Sam Fitzpatrick, patched him up as well as possible after each round, but by the fifteenth session the Kid looked like a job for the undertakers. His nose was broken, both eyes were closed to slits, and blood was pouring from his mouth and right ear.

With animal rage, Lavigne pressed the fight, only to catch raking punches from the cool, self possessed Everhardt.

Mystery Right Hook

Lavigne was a punch bag by the twenty-second round, and it was obviously only 'heart' that kept him going at all. His manager pleaded with him to turn it in, but he refused with a brief shake of his battered head. Up came the twenty-third round, and back to the wars steamed the Kid. He was almost blind, and was drenched with his own gore. But he rushed over to the challenger before the latter could leave his corner. He crowded to the ropes, and sank a left hand to his stomach. Then, pivoting round, he smashed over a tremendous right hook.

From where he got the strength is a mystery, but when that right hook drilled into Everhardt's chin, he slumped to the canvas and lay there inert, not a muscle twitching!

When Everhardt gained consciousness, the only mark he showed was a swelling on the point of the jaw, whereas Lavigne was in such a state that he had to be led across the ring by his manager to shake hands with his victim.

An hour later fighters and fans were crowded in the bar of a New York sporting club, drinking champagne. Fitzpatrick, with a table spoon, was pouring the sparkling liquid between Lavigne's bruised lips, as by now the victorious champion couldn't see at all!

Unique Challenge

The greatest fight of this hard-case Kid's career was when he boxed the famous negro warrior, Joe Walcott, who at that time was welterweight champion of the world. The negro had been mowing down his foes with the deadliness of a machine-gun, and both he and Lavigne were considered unbeatable in their class.

One day the fighters' managers had an argument in a bar. Walcott's pilot said Joe could train down to the then lightweight limit—133 pounds—and knock out Lavigne in fifteen rounds, provided that Walcott was allowed to weigh in four hours before the fight. Furthermore, if the Kid were on his feet at the end of the fifteen sessions, he was to be declared the winner.

This unique contest was the talk of the New York sporting world for weeks, and the negro was made a heavy favourite. No one could imagine Lavigne avoiding Walcott's lethal right hand for fifteen rounds. To their utter amazement, the Kid didn't try. Instead of ducking the negro's heavy batteries, the little lightweight champion blazed to the attack from the first bell, carrying the fight to his much larger foe, and giving the fans a battle that is still talked of.

Left Ear Half Off

With his abnormally long arms and legs, Walcott presented a spidery appearance, but Lavigne continued to play the part of the cautious fly. Time and time again he threw himself into a web of vicious punches; he took smash after smash on his head and body, and by the middle of the contest he was drenched in blood.

In the seventh round, the negro swung a cutting punch that ripped the Kid's left ear half off. On top of that he had lost several teeth, and his right eye was tightly closed! Yet, for not a second did he let up his burning attack.

Walcott made a target of the ear, and Fitzpatrick was busy with adhesive tape in the interval, sticking it flat against the Kid's head. However, Walcott, swinging his right hand, knocked the plaster off every round.

The tide of battle changed around the tenth round. Absolutely undaunted by his injuries, Lavigne simply broke the negro's heart. Despair was graven on the darkie's face. He had given everything in his tremendous effort to put the little man down, but here he was still ripping to the body with powerful short arm blows, still punching.

The fifteenth and last round ended with the great Walcott, eyes staring, breath rasping, knees trembling, as he swayed against the ropes; and it ended with the 'Saginaw Kid' almost cut to pieces, but still fighting like a bear cat.

The tale of this tough guy didn't end there. He held his lightweight championship for six years, knocked out twenty men, beat fourteen. He only lost four contests, and was never knocked out. He received in his career enough punishment to kill a regiment, but he was always punching at the last bell. Somehow they don't make 'em like the 'Saginaw Kid' these days.

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Monday—L'il Perpetual Motion—Henry Armstrong.

Racing Time Guide

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3.04.1—Silkylight (Pote-Hunt, 161); 2, Moonlight View (Wong, 161); 3, Red Feather (Wei, 161). 3 & 3. (A.M. 1).

3.26.0—Celtic Star (Marshall, 158) and Marksman (T. L. Wong, 158) dead-heated for first; 3, February Fourth (Liang, 155). Dead-heat & 4. (A.M. 4).

1% Miles
3.40.3—Silkylight (Pote-Hunt, 161); 2, Red Feather (Wei, 161). Many. 2 starters only. (A.M. 2).
AUSTRALIAN PONIES

Six Furlongs
1.18.3—Vixen Tor (Proulx, 152); 2, Criffel (Needa, 155); 3, Strathcarrick (Gregory, 145). 3 & head. (A.M. 3).

1.19.1—Cockleroi (Needa, 152); 2, Devonian (Hearne, 155); 3, Triumphant Day (Tao, 156). Neck & 2. (A.M. 1).

1.20.3—Rising Star (Raymond, 147); 2, Murrumbidgee (Black, 143); 3, Amber II (Ip Kui Ying, 144). 1½ and 6. (2nd E. 1).

1.22.0—Victory Day (Tao, 156); 2, Rivulet (Pih, 152); 3, Rising Star (Marshall, 152). Short head & 2. (A.M. 1).

1.22.1—Perfect Day (Tang, 138); 2, Twilight Star (S. W. Pan, 146); 3, Murray River (Wei, 141). 1 and short head. (3rd E.).

Half Mile 170 Yards
1.01.3—Bredon (B. A. Proulx, 155); 2, A Great Time (V. V. Needa, 152); 3, Strathcarrick (C. L. Gregory, 152). 3 and 2. (A.M. 5).

1.01.4—Derby Day (Pih, 155); 2, Vixen Tor (Proulx, 154); 3, Criffel (Encarnacao, 150). 3 and short head. (A.M. 3).

1.03.0—Sydney Lad (Proulx, 155); 2, Victory Day (Tao, 162); 3, Rising Star (Marshall, 152). ½ & 2. (A.M. 3).

1.06.2—Bruno (Churchill, 151); Baffin Bay (Wei, 145); 3, Ruby Star (S. W. Pan, 145). 2 and 1½. (3rd E.).

One Mile
1.46.2—Lancashire Chips (Wei, 147); 2, Lucky Lad (Needa, 152); 3, Double Finesse (Woo, 140). 3 and 5. (2nd E. 1).

1.46.3—Blandford (Poy, 147); 2, Snowy River (Hearne, 148); 3, Vixen Tor (Proulx, 149). Neck & ½. (A.M. 1).

1.47.2—King's Privilege (V. V. Needa, 146); 2, Criffel (B. A. Proulx, 155); 3, A Great Time (T. Y. Woo, 150). ½ and short head. (1st E.).

1.49.2—Rivulet (Pih, 152); 2, Laffat That (Happy Landings) (Davis, 152); 3, Devonian (Hearne, 155). 1½ & 1½. (A.M. 2).

1.49.3—Chiltern (C. Encarnacao, 155); 2, Devonian (D. Black, 155); 3, National Victory (S. W. Tang, 152). 1 and 2 (1st E.).

1.50.1—Candlelight (Pote-Hunt, 152); 2, Triumphant Day (Tao, 155); 3, King's Herald (Needa, 152). Many & 3. (A.M. 2).

1.50.1—National Victory (Chanson, 152); 2, Murrumbidgee (Black, 151); 3, Bruno (Churchill, 147). ½ and head. (2nd E. 2).

1 Mile 171 Yards
1.57.2—Lancashire Chips (Black, 152); 2, Able Amazon (Marshall, 155); 3, Snow River (Hearne, 149). 3 and neck. (A.M. 4).

1.58.4—Criffel (Needa, 150); 2, Toronado Star (Wei, 150); 3, Blandford (Poy, 155). 3 and 2. (4th E.).

WORLD TITLE FIGHT POSTPONED

London, To-day.—The Harvey-McAvoy fight for the world cruiser-weight championship which was fixed for June 22, has now been postponed owing to the fact that McAvoy has a boil on his right side.—Reuter.

1.59.2—Discovery Bay (Yuen, 140); 2, A Great Time (Woo, 162); 3, Macquarie River (Wei, 140). 1 and short head. (2nd E. 2).

2.02.0—Sydney Lad (Needa, 158); 2, Baffin Bay (Wei, 144); 3, Bruno (Churchill, 155). ¾ and 3. (4th E.).

2.04.1—Triumphant Day (Tao, 165); 2, Chiltern (Encarnacao, 156); 3, Devonian (Black, 150). 2 and 2. (3rd E.).

1½ Miles
2.14.3—Lucky Lad (Needa, 154); 2, Lancashire Chips (Black, 154); 3, Able Amazon (S. W. Pan, 154). Neck & 3. (A.M. 2).

2.15.1—Courting Eye (Pih, 158); 2, Lucky Lad (Needa, 162); 3, Snowy River (Raymond, 157). 1½ and 2½. (4th E.).

2.15.3—Lucky Lad (V. V. Needa, 152); 2, Snowy River (P. Y. T. Wei, 149); 3, Lancashire Chips (D. Black, 152). neck and 1½. (A.M. 5).

2.20.0—Happy Landings (Davis, 152); 2, Devonian (Hearne, 155); 3, National Victory (Chanson, 152). 2 & 4. (A.M. 4).

1½ Miles
2.49.0—Triumphant Day (Tao, 158); 2, Chiltern (Encarnacao, 155); 3, Cockleroi (Needa, 152). 3 & a head. (A.M. 3).

DAVIS CUP

England's Doubles Victory

England are one-up in their Davis Cup tie with France as the result of the splendid victory of their doubles team, Charles Hare and Frank Wilde, over Petra and Pelizza. The score was 6—3, 6—3, 3—6, 5—6 and 6—3.

The Frenchman led 3—1 in the first set.

The Englishmen were erratic in the third and fourth sets but regained their understanding in the fifth, and Wilde serving, won a love-game for set and match.—Reuter.

CHAPMAN AND BRUEN BEATEN

Hoyle, To-day.

In the sixth round of the Amateur Golf Championship, A. Kyle, Walker Cup player, beat the favourite, Bruen, one up.

Duncan beat Chapman five and three. Holt beat Thom three and two. Bruen was one up at the ninth.—Reuter.

Kent Male Voice Quartette From The Studio

12-12.20 p.m.—Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.
12.30 p.m.—Herbert Groh (Tenor) and 1 p.m.—Local Time Signal and Weather Report.
1.03 p.m.—Marek Weber & His Orchestra with Stuart Robertson (Baritone) Reminiscences Of Grieg (arr. Urbach)..... Marek Weber & His Orchestra.
1.30 p.m.—Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.
1.40 p.m.—Cicely Courtneidge and Noel Coward in Musical Comedy. Keep It Under Your Hat (from "Under Your Hat"—Hulbert).....Cicely Courtneidge, Jack Hulbert & The Rhythm Bros. with Orchestra.
The Empire Depends On You (from "Under Your Hat"—Ellis).....Cicely Courtneidge (Vocal) with Orch.
"The Love Parade"—Selection..... Jack Payne & His B.B.C. Dance Orchestra.
We Were Dancing ("To-Night at 8.30"—Coward); Parisian Pierrot (Coward).....Noel Coward (Vocal) with Orchestra.
"Bitter Sweet"—Selection (Coward).....Jack Hylton & His Orchestra.
2.15 p.m.—Close down.
6 p.m.—Mozart—Sonata In A Major, K. 331. Edwin Fischer (Piano).
6.16 p.m.—Mozart—Symphony No. 29 In A Major, K. 201. Sir Thomas Beecham conducting the London Phil-

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harmonic Orchestra.
6.43 p.m.—Closing Local Stock Quotations.
6.45 p.m.—London Relay—"Lucky Dip". Seventeenth Edition. Presented by William MacLurg. The music played by Rae Jenkins' Lucky Dip Orchestra under the direction of Jack Clarke.
7.30 p.m.—Dance Music by Carroll Gibbons (Piano) & His Boy Friends. I Double Dare You (Shand & Eaton). Have You Got Any Castles, Baby? (film "Varsity Show").
Judy (Carmichael & Lerner). Stars Fell On Alabama (Perkins). Breakin' In A Pair Of Shoes (Stept). Sugar Rose (Fats Waller). You (film "The Great Ziegfeld"). You Never Looked So Beautiful (film "The Great Ziegfeld"). Foolin' Myself (Lawrence). You're Here, You're There, You're Everywhere (Kahal).
8 p.m.—Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.
8.03 p.m.—Studio—Concert by "The Kent Quartette" with A. Wylie at the Piano.
1. (a) John Peel; (b) Little Tommy Went A-Fishing.....Quartette.
2. Mazurka (Sydney Smith).....A. Wylie at the Piano.
3. (a) Carry Me Back To Old Vir-

ginny; (b) There are women..... Quartette.
4. Mendelssohn Fragment (Caspar).....A. Wylie at the Piano.
5. Doan Ye Cry, Ma Honey..... Quartette.
8.25 p.m.—English Ballad Concert with Essie Ackland (Contralto) and The London Palladium Orchestra.
The Liberators—March (Ancliffe); The Spirit Of Youth—March (Gilbert).....The London Palladium Orchestra cond. by Jack Frere.
The Great Awakening (Johnstone & Kramer); A Summer Night (A. Goring Thomas).....Essie Ackland (Contralto) with Organ accomp. by Herbert Dawson.
A La Gavotte ("Two Little Dances"—Finck); A La Minuet ("Two Little Dances"—Finck).....The London Palladium Orchestra cond. by Richard Crean.
Coming Home (Wilmot-Willeby); Homing (Del Riego).....Essie Ackland (Contralto) with Organ accomp. by Herbert Dawson.
The Valley Of The Poppies (Ancliffe); A Birthday Serenade (Lincke).....The London Palladium Orchestra cond. by Richard Crean.
Historical Song Successes.....The 50 Years Of Song (A Selection of Historical Song Successes).....The London Palladium Orchestra cond. by Richard Crean.
9 p.m.—Local Sport Results.
9.02 p.m.—Albert Sandler (Violin). Algerian Scene (Ketelbey); The Phantom Melody (Ketelbey)..... with the Composer at the Piano.
9.15 p.m.—London Relay—The News.
9.30 p.m.—London Relay—"London Log".
9.45 p.m.—London Relay—Sports News and Market Notes.
9.50 p.m.—Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Grill Room of the Hong Kong Hotel.
(a) Olvidate Milonquita; (b) Maruja; (c) Son Retozon; (d) Gloria de Granada.

10.05 p.m.—Record: All My Life (film "Laughing Irish Eyes"); Sundown In Old Waikiki (Carlton & Ritz)..... George Elliott's Hawaiian Novelty Quartet.
10.10 p.m.—(a) Where in the World; (b) Sheik of Araby; (c) Please be kind; (d) Some of these days.
10.25 p.m.—Records: La Cumparsita, Tango; Garufa, Tango.....Novelty Piano Duet by Jean Wiener and Clement Doucet.
Piano Medley Of Strauss Waltzes.... Charlie Kunz.
10.35 p.m.—(a) Bewildered; (b) So you left me for the leader of a String Band; (c) Say it with a kiss; (d) Jeepers Creepers.
10.50 p.m.—Records: In The Chapel In The Moonlight (Hill); I've Got You Under My Skin (film "Born to Dance").....Peter Yorke (Piano). If You Were The Only Girl In The World (Ayre).....Brian Lawrence & His Lansdowne House Sextet.
11 p.m.—(a) Blue Danube; (b) Coco L'asticot; (c) On the Hills of Manchuria; (d) Daisy.
11.15 p.m.—Record: Medley: Is it true what they say about Dixie?; When a lady meets a gentleman down South; Sing, Baby Sing; San Francisco; Down South.....Tarrant Bailey (Banjo) with Orchestra.
11.20 p.m.—(a) Solitude; (b) Got a pair of New Shoes; (c) Heart and Soul; (d) Strutters Ball.
11.35 p.m.—Records: Charlie Kunz Piano Medley No. D. 4. Intro: I Need You; What will I tell my Heart; The Love Bug will Bite You; With Plenty of Money and You; Let's Put our Heads together; Moonlight and Shadows; With Plenty of Money and You.....Charlie Kunz (Piano).
Record: Tunes Of To-day No. 1. Intro: I double dare you; Sweet as a song; Mama, I wanna make rhythm.....Reginald Forsythe & Arthur Young on two pianos.
11.45 p.m.—(a) I have Eyes; (b) Joo-balai; (c) Garden of the Moon; (b) Swingtime in Honolulu.
12 Midnight.—Close down.

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A K Q 5
J 9 8 6 3
8 4
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A Q 5 4
J 10 8 7
3 2
A 4
2
8 2
9 6 4
Q
A K J 7 6 5 3
The bidding:
East South West North
1♥ 2♠ 2♥ 3♥
3♠ 3NT 4♥ 4♠
6♥ 7♠ Pass Pass
Dbl.

The bidding on to-day's hand probably doesn't make sense to most of our readers. Actually we don't understand North's reasoning on the various bids he made. However, East did know what he was doing. First his opening heart bid was quite sound, and when his partner gave him a free raise, he felt confident that he could make game. However North then started the fireworks by his cue-bid in hearts, and East decided to bid the spades not really as a Slam try but rather to show a lead against an eventual club contract. South's three notrump bid was one of those so-called brilliant psychics, and West now showed he had a sound raise by promptly bidding four hearts. North made another silly bid—four spades. Then East studied his hand carefully, decided that he could not make six hearts and might not even be able to make five, but that if he jumped to six hearts, his opponents, who had started to bid in such a fancy manner, would certainly defend at seven clubs.

Sure enough, South did bid seven clubs, which was set three tricks for a loss of 500 points. Of course East and West could make five hearts, and on normal bidding we assume North and South would have defended at six clubs. East had merely picked up an extra 200 points by getting his opponents to seven.

You are Oswald Jacoby's partner yesterday and held:

K J 9 2
A 10
A K Q 3
K Q J
The bidding:
You Maier Jacoby Schenken
2NT Pass 3♠ Pass
(7)

ANSWER: Your correct bid is three diamonds. Although your two-notrump opening was practically a minimum, the fact that your partner responds in clubs, in which you hold the King-Queen-Jack, should encourage you to make a moderate Slam try. If your partner now bids three notrump, you should pass.

Score 100% for three diamonds, 80% for four clubs (if you do get to a Slam, you want to be Declarer on account of your spade and heart holding), 60% for four notrump (a slight overbid), 20% for three notrump (a distinct underbid), 0 for any other bid.
Question No. 110

You are Merwin Maier's partner and hold:

Q 8 6 2
♥ 2
9 8 6 5 4
8 8 2

The bidding:
Schenken Maier Schenken You
10 20 Pass (7)
What do you bid? (Answer tomorrow.)
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The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m. on the First Day and at 12.00 NOON on the Second Day. The Tiffin Interval will be after the second race (1 p.m.) on the Second Day.

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Hong Kong, 22nd May, 1939.

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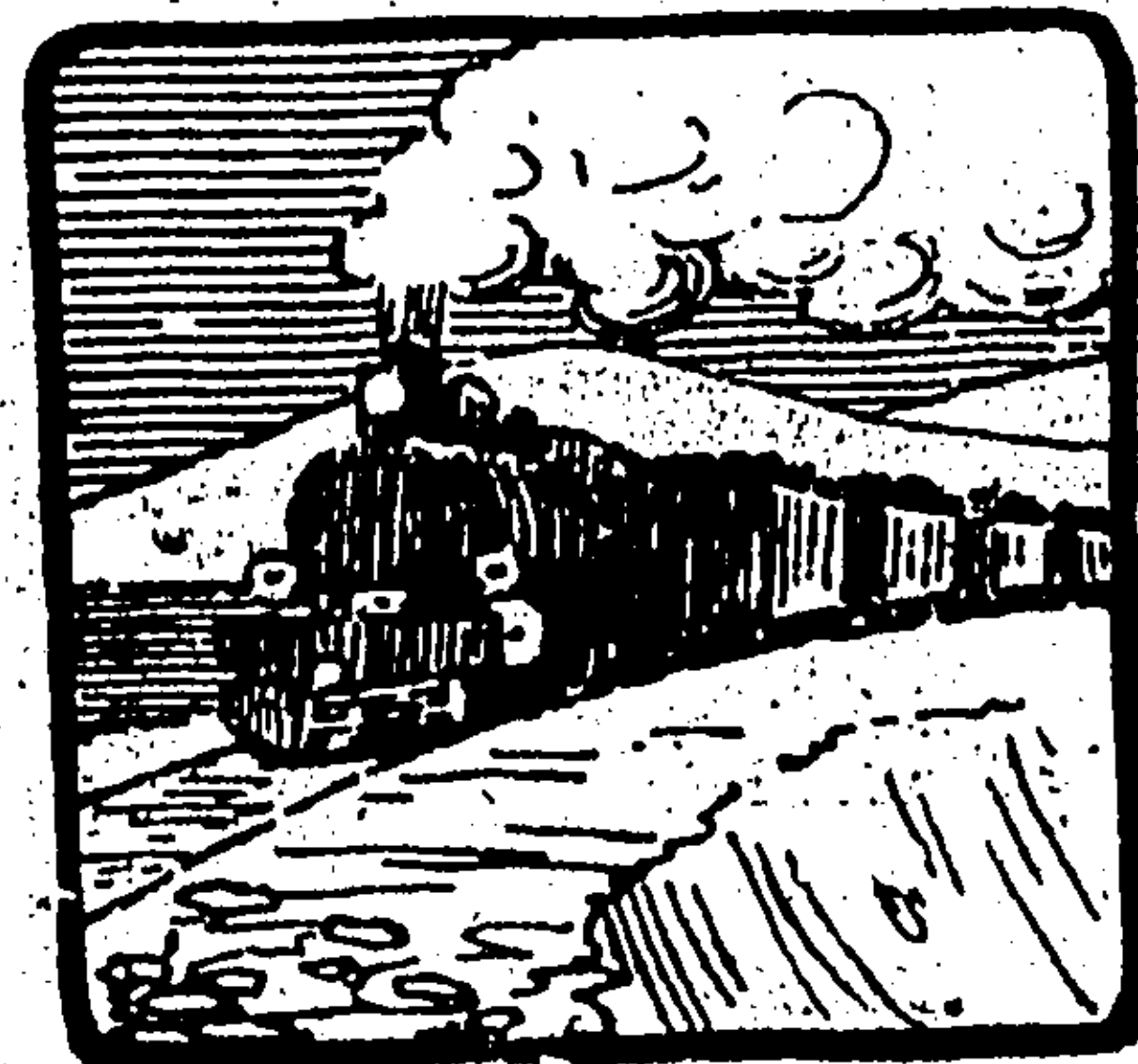
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American Approval Of Britain's Foreign Policy

London, To-day.

The Foreign Secretary, Lord Halifax, is leaving London for his country seat in Yorkshire to-day.

Lord Halifax will return to London as soon as the Soviet Ambassador, M. Maisky, is in a position to make known his Government's decision regarding the latest British proposals, which were despatched to Moscow yesterday.

In addition to France, Poland and Rumania, the British proposals were also communicated beforehand to the United States.

The United States Ambassador, Mr. Joseph P. Kennedy, had a conversation with Lord Halifax after the Cabinet council.

AMERICAN APPROVAL

It is reported that Lord Halifax emphasised the value attached by the British Government to American approval of British policy towards the Soviet.

Mr. Kennedy is said to have assured Lord Halifax that Washington approves all efforts made by London to establish the peace front. —Trans-Ocean.

LEAGUE'S DANZIG COMMISSIONER TO RETURN

Warsaw, To-day.

Press reports say that Dr. Burckhardt, League High Commissioner in Danzig, who has been instructed to return to his post, will visit Warsaw to discuss the situation with the Polish Government. —Trans-Ocean.

PETAIN TO RESIGN?

Paris, To-day.

A report appearing in "Le Matin" suggests that the French Ambassador to Spain, Marshal Petain, may resign his post. —Trans-Ocean.

Mr. Akiyoshi Tajiri, Consul-General for Japan at Hong Kong has resumed charge of the Consulate-General for Japan.

ARAMIS IN SHANGHAI

Shanghai, To-day.

The French liner Aramis, which was stopped by the Japanese off Hong Kong, arrived in Shanghai last evening.

Soon afterwards the captain made a report to the French authorities on the boarding of his ship. —Reuter.

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Mr. Chow Chung-yueh was appointed new Minister of Interior. —Central News.

Concealing themselves in straw on a lorry, five Chinese soldiers in the Matachung Internment Camp attempted to escape yesterday at about 5 p.m.

They were, however, seen by another inmate of the Camp who informed the authorities. The men were discovered before the lorry left the Camp.

This morning they were sentenced to one month's imprisonment by Mr. E. Himsworth, at the Kowloon Magistracy.

"We want to go back and fight" was the explanation given for the attempted escape.

Chungking, To-day.

There is absolutely no truth in the Japanese report from Tokyo, to the effect that Sir Archibald Kerr Clark Kerr, during his recent stay in Chungking, presented to Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek a memorandum regarding the Sino-Japanese conflict.

The Tokyo despatch alleged that the memorandum stressed two points. First, the Powers are prepared to mediate but would not object to direct Sino-Japanese negotiations if such were found to be desirable. Second, the Powers are not opposed to economic co-operation between China and Japan.

The report is branded as a pure fabrication designed to confuse public opinion on the Far East situation. —Central News.

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